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CONFERENCE TREATIES REPORTED TO SENATE

MRS. DOWLING IS CLEARED OF LIQUOR CHARGE

Albert C. Wolfe Enters Plea of Abatement in Case in County Court: Brindley Dismisses Case

CONTENTION THAT POSSESSION IS NOT ILLEGAL IS UPHELD

James Murray is Fined $100 for Having Liquor in Possession Without Permit

THE charge of illegal possession of liquor, made against Mrs. Frances Dowling in county court Saturday morning by federal enforcement agents, was dismissed following a plea in abatement made by Mrs. Dowling's lawyer, Albert C. Wolfe. This is the first case in which possession has been charged that the charges have been dismissed.

Mr. Wolfe contended that the complaint against Mrs. Dowling didn't set up any criminal offense against the laws of Wisconsin and especially the Severson law. The complaint charged her with having illegal possession of liquor. It did not contain the words, "without permit."

Neither Judge Brindley nor District Attorney Reid could find anything in the Severson act which could substantiate the charge of merely illegal possession and the case was dismissed. The federal agents, armed with a search warrant, went to Mrs. Dowling's home, at 401 South Third street, and confiscated a quart bottle half full of alleged whiskey and a pint bottle half full of alleged whiskey.

The same day that Mrs. Dowling's home was visited, federal agents went to the residence of James Murray, 223 North Third street, and confiscated a quart of liquor. He was charged with the illegal possession of liquor, without a permit. Judge Brindley fined him $100 Saturday morning.

SHOTS FIRED AT PRINCE OF WALES PARTY IN INDIA

No One Hit and Police are Investigating the Incident

LONDON.—The firing upon several members of the Prince of Wales' party while they were motoring from Delhi to Puttiala, in the Punjab region of India is reported by the Puttiala correspondent of the London Times. No one was hit and the character of the assailants is not known. The police are investigating.

Debate Gandhi's Plan

BOMBAY.—The executive committee of the All Indian congress was in session at Delhi today to discuss Mahatma Gandhi's decision to abandon his non-co-operation movement for the time being. The fate of Gandhi as the leader of the movement hangs on the decisions of the committee, which has the most important place in the revolutionary activities of India.

The railroad strike situation has not improved and all movement to and from Calcutta is far below normal. The cost of transportation is steadily mounting. The railways have issued an ultimatum demanding that the men return at once or their posts will be filled by others.

WEATHER RECORD

For La Crosse and vicinity—Generally fair tonight and Sunday. Not much change in temperature.

For Wisconsin—Generally fair tonight and Sunday, slightly warmer in northwest portion tonight.

For Minnesota—Fair tonight and Sunday. Not so cold in north portion tonight.

For Iowa—Fair tonight; probably followed by increasing cloudiness Sunday. Not much change in temperature.

TODAY'S TEMPERATURES

6 a. m.	5	10 a. m.	14
7 a. m.	5	11 a. m.	26
8 a. m.	4	12 m.	29
9 a. m.	8	1 p. m.	24

NATION-WIDE RECORD

	Low Yesterday's night	High Yesterday's	Prec.
Bismarck	-10	4	..
Chicago	24	26	..
Denver	22	42	..
Helena	2	32	..
Huron	8	36	..
Jacksonville	6	52	..
Kansas City	30	56	1.22
LA CROSSE	22	18	..
Madison	1	18	..
Memphis	32	48	..
Milwaukee	20	42	..
New York	18	34	..
New Orleans	50	56	..
San Francisco	50	74	.02
Minneapolis	2	26	.08
Washington	25	44	..

Lloyd George To Propose Land Disarmament At Genoa Meeting Is Statement of London Paper

PARIS.—Land disarmament is said by the Temps to be a surprise which Premier Lloyd George of Great Britain intends to spring at the Genoa conference, proposing the reductions personally or getting another of the British delegation to make the suggestion.

As disarmament is not on the program, the question will come up indirectly, according to the paper, but it can easily be raised by first binding European states not to attack their neighbors and then suggesting reduction of armies as a means of lessening budget burdens.

The Temps concludes that the only way to reduce land armaments effectively would be to adopt the French peace conference idea of giving to the league of nations an international force to police the world.

Premiers Meet

BOULOGNE.—By The Associated Press.—Premier Poincare and Prime Minister Lloyd George of Great Britain were to meet Saturday afternoon for their first interview on the subject of the coming international economic and financial conference. The conference will begin at 3 p. m.

Genoa is receiving less and less mention as the site for the international conference and the impression is gaining ground that the premiers may decide it is inadvisable to hold the meeting in Italy.

Agreement to a postponement of the conference until April 30, was reached by Premiers Poincare and Lloyd George at their conference.

BUILDING UNIONS AGREE TO LIMIT OWN ACTIVITIES

Accept Court Decree Placing Curb Upon Powers of the Organization

AGREEMENT WILL AFFECT MEMBERSHIP OF 100,000

Four Basic Principles Laid Down in the Decree

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Announcement was made by Attorney General Daugherty Saturday that the executive heads of the international organization of bricklayers, masons and plasterers have signed and executed a consent to the entry of a far reaching court decree restricting their activities, which have been a disturbing influence to the building industry of the country.

The decree directs that it be published by the labor organizations and read to all the 100,000 members of their local unions at their regular meeting, and be incorporated as part of the constitution of the international union and appended thereto in the next constitution to be adopted.

Four Basic Principles

The decree lays down and adopts the four basic principles:

1. There is to be no limit to the productive capacity of the individual workman within the working day or any other given time.

2. There is to be no limit upon the right of the employers to purchase their materials wherever and whenever and from whomever they may choose, whether those materials be union made or otherwise.

3. There is to be no favoritism shown by organized labor towards employers or trade associations or contractors' associations, and no discriminations are to be indulged in against the independent employer who may not be a member of such an association.

4. The labor organization is not to be used or permit itself to be used by material men or contractors or sub-contractors as an instrument for the collection of debts or enforcement of the payment of alleged claims.

Follows U. S. Investigation

The court decree will be entered as the culmination of the investigation of Col. William Hayward, federal district attorney at New York, in conjunction with the department of justice into the building trades and housing situation.

"The first of the principles in the decree," Mr. Daugherty said, "is directed against a vicious practice which is more or less an outgrowth of the war cost plus system. Various local unions of this and other labor organizations have from time to time tacitly, and often openly limited their men in the quantity of the work to be performed by them within a given time.

"Some locals have enforced the rule that a bricklayer must lay so many bricks an hour, or a mason set only a certain quantity of stone a day, etc.

Other Abuses to End

"The second is directed against the building trades who sought to restrict a builder from purchasing and importing finished materials.

"The third is directed against a series of instances where, in consideration of some bonus or other inducement offered, the labor organization would agree to grant a preference or co-operate with the trade association member as against his independent competitor.

"The fourth strikes at what has likewise become a general practice—for contractors and builders to use labor unions as instruments for the collection of their debts."

BROKER FIRM FAILS

NEW YORK.—An involuntary petition in bankruptcy was filed in federal court Saturday against Rietze and Sullivan, stock brokers. Liabilities were listed at $25,000 and assets at $5,000.

COMMITTEE MAY PUT BONUS PLAN UP TO CONGRESS

Sub-Committee Favors Reporting Out Bill Without Specifying Means of Raising Funds

SALES TAX PLAN REJECTED BY THE SUB-COMMITTEE ON FRIDAY

Question to be Debated by Full Committee on Tuesday

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Failure of the special sub-committee of republican members of the house ways and means committee to approve any provision for financing of the soldiers' bonus, after rejecting the sales tax proposal by a vote of seven to two, has placed the question again in the hands of the entire majority membership of the committee for further study of the situation. In addition to the vote against the sales tax, the sub-committee was understood to have gone on record Friday, five to four, in favor of reporting out a bonus bill without any provision for raising the revenue.

The majority members of the committee will not meet again until next Tuesday, having adjourned after receiving the report of the sub-committee to permit time for study of the whole question before reaching a decision on its recommendations. The sentiment of the majority members was said by some to favor ratification of the action of the sub-committee, barring unforseen developments before Tuesday.

EXCHANGE SHOWS MARKED ACTIVITY DURING THE WEEK

NEW YORK.—Despite the holiday recess business on the Stock exchange this week was on the largest and most comprehensive scale of any similar period this year, prices for the most part showing substantial enhancement.

Buying of rails was the noteworthy feature, the demand for those shares as well as the bonds, embracing an unusual number of low priced convertible and debenture issues, especially Missouri, Kansas & Texas; St. Louis & San Francisco, and St. Louis Southwestern.

In the investment group Canadian Pacific led, rising about fifteen points from its recent low. Other transcontinentals, also coalers and several of the more popular cotton carriers gained two to five points.

Equipments, motors and oils were foremost among the stronger industrial and United States Steel reasserted much of its former leadership.

HARDING WRITING NOTE TO CONGRESS ON AID FOR SHIPS

WASHINGTON.—President Harding spent a portion of Saturday writing his message to congress on government aid for the American merchant marine. Chairman Lasker of the shipping board said on leaving the white house after a conference with the president that the executive hopes to deliver the message Monday.

DENY MOTION TO BAR EVIDENCE OFFERED AT MILWAUKEE HEARING

WASHINGTON.—Motion by counsel of the United States Steel corporation to exclude certain evidence introduced at the federal trade commission hearing at Milwaukee on the Pittsburgh plus method of basing steel prices was denied Saturday by the commission.

FRENCH BLUEBEARD PAY WITH HIS LIFE FOR DEATHS OF 11

Henri Landru Meets Death Upon the Guillotine Early Saturday

"MYSTERY MAN" REMAINS A MYSTERY UP TO THE END

Refuses to Confess to Crime for Which Convicted

VERSAILLES.—By The Associated Press.—Henri Desire Landru, "bluebeard of Gambais," convicted of the murder of ten women and one youth, gave his life Saturday morning in exchange for the eleven he had taken. The triangular knife of the guillotine fell at 6:05. Twenty-five minutes after the time originally set for the execution, the delay causing many to express the erroneous opinion that Landru was making a confession.

Mysterious until death, Landru resented Father Loiselles' query as to whether he had any confession to make.

"It is an insult to a man like me," was his reply. "Had I any confession to make, I would have made it long ago," but never did he utter the word "innocent" as he had failed to utter it during his thirty-four months of imprisonment and the twenty-one days of his trial.

He refused the sacrament, but conversed a few moments with the priest. "I shall be brave, never fear," he told the clergyman.

Although plans for the execution had been kept in the utmost secrecy crowds began to gather about old Versailles jail a little after midnight.

At six o'clock the doors of the prison opened slowly.

When Landru appeared, he was clad in dark trousers and a white shirt. His beard, which was one of his most striking characteristics and which had become familiar to thousands through publication of his portrait during the trial, had been trimmed; his head was shaved and his neck and face were deathly pale.

He walked exactly five steps before the executioner's assistants caught him around the waist and levelled him on a table, which was immediately upended; the heavily weighted knife slid down, and the whole affair was over in less than twenty seconds. Landru never faltered from the time he appeared in the door, he gave the guillotine one look, squared his shoulders and walked erect, uttering not a word.

The crowd, which had been kept at such a distance that it saw nothing of the details, utter no cry, and the silence was broken only by the bugles sounding reveille in the nearby barracks, and the Angelus bells. The platoon of cavalry with sabres bared saluted as the "mystery man" went to his death.

ILLINOIS WATERWAY WILL BE READY BY JANUARY OF 1925

New Project Will Open a Way from the Great Lakes to Gulf of Mexico

CHICAGO, Ill.—Governor Len Small announced Saturday he hoped to open Illinois' $20,000,000 waterway, connecting the Great Lakes to the Gulf, by January 1, 1925, following an inspection of the upper channel from Chicago to Lockport this week.

"I am more impressed than ever with the advantages the waterway should bring to Illinois and to every state in the Mississippi valley," the governor said today. "And you may say for me that I am determined to see that this great transportation channel is completed and opened to traffic before my term expires January 1, 1925.

"I do not say that disappointment may not come, but I can see disappointment in only two 'ifs'—that of unjust price levels or insurmountable construction obstacles. These I hope we will not meet."

Director of public works Miller and Superintendent Sackett will complete their plans and specifications as rapidly as possible, Gov. Small said. Director Miller, who made the trip with the governor, said that engineers were already at work on the plans.

"If price conditions win, we hope to get the work started this year," Mr. Miller said.

200 MADE HOMELESS BY FLOODS IN IOWA

CHICAGO, Ill.—Two hundred people are homeless in Elkport, Iowa, due to floods, according to a report from Grant Burgner, representative of the American Red Cross, from the Chicago headquarters. Food relief is being directed from the Chicago office Saturday.

DIES UNDER KNIFE

Henri Desire Landru, the "Bluebeard of Gambais," Meets Death on Guillotine for Murder of Eleven.

LARGE AUDIENCE ENTHUSIASTIC AT NORMANNA "SING"

Chorus and Soloists Score Heavily in Distinctive Event at Normal School

BY H. MARGARET JOSTEN

NORMANNA Sangerkor, which has long held an important place in the life of La Crosse, on Friday night won from the music lovers of the city the recognition it has well earned. A large audience gave the chorus and its gifted director E. O. Forseth an appreciative welcome at the moment of their first appearance and continued throughout the evening to express through the medium of applause most sincere appreciation of the artistic work of the Sangerkor.

There is something thrilling in the sight of this group of nearly thirty men who have for the pure love of song clung together through fifty-two years and preserved in America much of the best of Scandinavian music. Numbered in the group are men who saw the club through many of its earliest, most trying years, the son of one of the first directors, as well as three talented members of a single family, the director, Mr. E. O. Forseth, his brother, Mr. E. A. Forseth and his son. The spirit which has perpetuated the organization is as admirable as its work.

"Lief Eriksson" Stirring

"Lief Eriksson" was one of the finest numbers presented. It gave an opportunity for the interpretation of mood of which the director took advantage. The deep depression of the viking seekers; the growing intensity of excitement as land became visible was to singers and to audience a vivid experience. "Sigurd Jorsalfar," in which Joel Mossberg, baritone, took the solo part, was exceptionally well sung and much enjoyed. The chorus found evident pleasure and inspiration in the voice of the soloist and responded by giving a beautiful setting to it.

The writer cannot refrain from remark upon one of the sweetest songs Normanna sings in English, "Evening," by Abt, one of the little gems of their repertory. "Ausgardsreien," by E. O. Forseth, proved to be an interesting picture of a storm which received cordial applause both for the club's rendition and in appreciation of its composer.

Simon Lee Scores

The merriest moment of the whole evening came when Simon Lee, one of the veteran singers of the club sang with the chorus that most "Halling," arranged by Grieg. Throughout the song a folk dance is supposedly going on and an old farmer, whom Mr. Lee impersonated so amusingly, scolds his daughter for being too gay and forward in the dance. The number should be on every Normanna program.

Besides the numbers sung with the chorus Mr. Mossberg sang Large al Factotum from "The Barber of Seville," which was very pleasing, and two other groups. From among these songs it would be difficult to express a preference, though "Solargossen," (The Chimney Sweep) is particularly quaint. Mr. Mossberg has a pleasant, rich voice of wide range which he uses excellently. Normanna was very fortunate in its choice of soloist.

Miss Louise Knudson, pianist, contributed much to the success of the evening. The Chopin "Nocturne" in F sharp major was beautifully played with an artistry of interpretation and a technical facility which was a delight to her audience. Neither should Miss Knudson's gift for accompaniment be overlooked, she was in perfect accord with the soloist and an excellent support to both soloist and chorus in the big final number, "Sigurd Jorsalfar."

PARTITION SUIT IS STARTED BY HOLBEK HEIRS

Action is Precipitated by Foreclosure Proceedings Begun Against Vine St. Property

DISAPPEARANCE OF R. HOLBEK RECALLED BY ACTION HERE

La Crosse Man Not Heard from in 24 Years

An echo of the mysterious disappearance from this city in 1897 of R. L. C. Holbek was heard in circuit court with the first hearings in the partition suit of the Holbek heirs and the mortgage foreclosure started against the Holbek property at 1510 Vine street.

Neils Holbek, the father died in 1895. He left a house and lot in Vine street and according to his will he gave his widow the right to use the property during her lifetime, and at her death the property was to be divided equally among the five children.

In 1897 Rasmus L. C. Holbeck disappeared, leaving his wife, Irene, who still resides in La Crosse. In 1909 Frank Winter started suit against the New York Life Insurance company on the part of Mrs. Irene Holbek to collect the life insurance on Rasmus Holbek. Charles Schweizer for the insurance company took depositions in New York City, England and Denmark. This quest for proof of Rasmus Holbek's death brought to light the fact that Holbek had written a letter in Danish to a friend in America from Scotland in 1908, asking him if he remembered Rasmus Holbek and would he advance him a sum of money. This proved that Holbek was alive a year before the suit to collect the life insurance started and the action was dropped.

An unmarried daughter, Sophia died some time after the father's death and the mother died in 1914. Before her death, Mrs. Holbek mortgaged the house and lot for $2,100. Of this amount $100 has been paid. No interest or any part of the principal has been paid since 1919. Clarence Weber on behalf of Louise Egan who holds the $2,000 mortgage, started foreclosure proceedings in circuit court. This action precipitated the partition suit of the heirs. The known heirs are Arthur Holbek, Grand Rapids, Mich.; Laura Holbek of Denver; Mrs. Elizabeth Holbek, widow of William C. Holbek and Mrs. Irene Holbek, wife of R. L. C. Holbek.

A third action was started by Irene and Elizabeth Holbek, demanding an accounting from Arthur Holbek of the money received as rent from the Vine street property. Frank Winter is Mrs. Irene Holbek's lawyer and D. S. Law for Mrs. Elizabeth Holbek. Oscar Swennes for Arthur Holbek has filed an accounting for all money collected by him.

Mrs. Irene Holbek, at a hearing before Judge Fowler on Friday, testified that she had not heard from her husband since he left La Crosse in 1897. No one it seems has heard whether Holbek is alive or not since 1909. The next moves in the case will be the foreclosing of the mortgage, submitting of proof of the death of R. L. C. Holbek and the division and final settlement of the state.

CHUM CONFESSES TO MURDER OF EDWIN THIELEN

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—Frederick L. McBride confessed Saturday morning on a train speeding back from Akron, Ohio, where he was arrested Thursday, that he killed Edwin Thielen of Racine, his 24-year-old chum, on the afternoon of Nov. 20, according to Jefferson county officials, who returned to Wisconsin with the prisoner. According to the alleged confession Thielen was slain as he was driving his car along the country road near East Troy, where McBride's fiancee lived. The confession, it is alleged, was made in the presence of the officials and a staff correspondent of the Milwaukee Journal, who wired a report of it to this city from Fort Wayne, Ind.

STORM DAMAGE IN MICHIGAN IS FROM 1 TO 5 MILLIONS

DETROIT, Mich.—Estimates of the damage resulting from the ice and wind storm that swept the northern half of the lower Michigan peninsula ranged Saturday from $1,000,000 to $5,000,000. Improvement in transportation and wire communication in the stricken area was so slight that definite accounts were unobtainable.

In the northwestern part of the lower peninsula a scene similar to that left by a tornado is presented.

The Michigan Telephone company had reports today showing 5,500 poles had been snapped off.

THREE PACTS ARE APPROVED BY COMMITTEE

Four-Power Pacific Pact and Naval Limitation and Submarine Treaties are Submitted

PACIFIC TREATY ACCOMPANIED BY HARDING RESERVATION

Declares that Treaty Shall Not be Construed to Mean "Alliance"

WASHINGTON. — The four-power Pacific treaty, together with its supplement and a reservation, and the naval limitation and submarine treaties, were ordered favorably reported Saturday by the senate foreign relations committee.

The reservation attached by the committee to the four-power pact embodies the compromise suggested after conferences with President Harding and declares that nothing in the treaty shall be construed as forming an "alliance." It was approved by a ten to three vote.

Also by a division of ten to three, with Senators Borah, Idaho, and Johnson, California, republicans, and Shields, democrat, Tennessee, voting in the negative the four-power treaty then was ordered reported to the senate. The vote by which the naval limitation and submarine treaties were favorably reported was unanimous.

Two Still in Committee

Only two of the arms conference treaties, the general far eastern and Chinese tariff pacts, now remain before the committee. They will be taken up next week, and although some of the committee members have shown a disposition to discuss the tariff treaty in committee it is not expected that a report will be long delayed. Formal presentation of the treaties approved today is to be proposed by Chairman Lodge of the committee until he can place the whole series before the senate.

CARNIVAL CROWD ENJOYS WINONA FEST ON FRIDAY

One Hundred Costumed Marchers from this City Take Part in Evening Program

One hundred La Crosse carnival marchers in costume, invaded Winona Friday night and aided that city in putting on an evening program which marked the conclusion of its first mid-winter carnival.

The La Crosse crowd was given a royal welcome and enjoyed the evening as guests of the Winona carnival committee. The big event of the evening was a parade through the down town streets. La Crosse delegation was given a position of honor in the parade. The J. J. Hogan, La Crosse Drug company and Batavian National Bank marching club were in the delegation, and the Doerflinger drum corps attended. Scattering delegations from the Tausche, Ruber Mills and other marching clubs made the trip.

Owing to the storm, which put out of commission the electric light plant in Winona, the carnival committee found it impossible to light the rink on Lake Winona Friday night and the evening program there was cancelled.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK.—Foreign exchange strong; Great Britain demand, 4.41; cables, 4.41½; sixty day bills on banks, 4.38. France, demand 905½; cables, 906. Italy, demand, 514½; cables, 515. Germany, demand, 44 7-8; cables, 45 3-8. Norway, demand 1708. Sweden, demand, 610. Montreal, 97½.

AUTOS NEEDED

The La Crosse Automobile club has a big task.

The club is to furnish transportation for the speaker's squad of the La Crosse County Milk Week campaign.

Will they do it?

C. L. V. Craft whose dealings are with the big moguls that run the slippery rails these icy days, says "sure."

Step on the gas boys—We are off!

SERVICES FOR SUNDAY IN CHURCHES OF LA CROSSE

TOMORROW

METHODIST

Salem Memorial church, Seventh and Ferry streets, J. L. Pegelow, pastor.

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Morning: C. W. Marsden, superintendent.

Sermon 10:45 by Rev. F. H. Thiel, district superintendent. Administration of Lord's Supper after the sermon.

Rev. F. H. Thiel will likewise preach in the Chipmunk Coulee church in the afternoon and administer the Lord's Supper. Epworth League meets at 6:15 in the evening; Mrs. Henry Wolters, leader.

Preaching at 7:30 Rev. F. H. Thiel will again occupy the pulpit.

Music for the day: Prof. James R. Kerr, musical director; Roy Hedgeman, organist. Morning song by the choir: "Unto Thee I Lift Up Mine Eyes" by Dutton. Offertory anthem: "Forget Not All His Benefits." Organ numbers: "Prelude in A," by Charles Aikan; "Offertory," by Klugt; "Communion" by Dutton.

Wednesday evening Bible study and prayer meeting.

Thursday afternoon the Ladies' Aid society will meet in the church parlors. Mesdames Henry Vadenvelder and Henry Leidel will entertain.

Saturday afternoon religious instruction for children.

The junior choir meets at 6:15 and the regular choir at 7:30 for practice.

Come and hear our new district superintendent preach. You will enjoy his messages.

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Caledonia Street Methodist church, J. H. Benson, pastor.

Sunday services:

9:30 a. m. Sunday school.

11 a. m. public worship.

7:00 p. m. Epworth League; leader, Anna Beslip.

8:00 p. m. public worship.

Monday 6:30 p. m. supper and meeting of official board.

Wednesday, 8:00 p. m. mid-week fellowship service.

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First Methodist church, Rev. E. C. Dixon, pastor.

Sunday school 10:00 a. m. Classes for all.

Morning worship 11:00 a. m. The male quartet will sing "Hark! Hark! My Soul," Shelly; with soprano obligato.

Mr. Soule will sing "Face to Face," Johnson, for the offertory. The sermon will discuss "Stewardship; the Law and the Gospel."

King's Heralds 2:30 p. m. Young People's Vesper Tea and Reorganization meeting, 5:30 p. m. The chorus choir will render an anthem. The sermon topic will be "Jesus at the Jordan."

Monday, 7:00 p. m., Boy Scouts meeting.

Wednesday 7:30 p. m., Devotional service and study classes.

Thursday 2:00 p. m. Ladies' Aid society. Hostesses, Miss Manchester and Mesdames A. L. Marshall, Myers olson and Page.

Friday 1:00 p. m. Women's Missionary Union at the Congregational church, business and devotional meeting after which supper will be served and Mrs. Ostrander from Bulgaria will speak.

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West Ave. M. E. Church, 915 West Ave. S. C. C. Ralston, pastor.

Morning worship, 10:30 a. m.

Junior League, 2:30 p. m. Vivan Lewis, Supt.

Sunday School, 11:30 a. m. L. C. Nelson, Supt.

Epworth League, 6:15 p. m. Leader Edith Walker.

Evening Sermon, 7:30 p. m. Subject: The Sower.

All are welcome to worship with us.

EPISCOPAL

The services on Sunday at Christ Church, corner of 9th and Main streets, Rev. Robert D. Vinter, D. D., rector, will be:

Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m.

Church school at 9:30 a. m.

Morning prayer with sermon by the pastor at 10:45 a. m.

The music at the 10:45 service, under the direction of Prof. Christopher Thornton, will be as follows:

Organ, (a) "Triumphal March" from Oratorio, (b) "Adagio" "Naaman," M. Costa; (b) "Adagio" from "Fantasie in C Minor," W. A. Mozart; (c) "Andante Cantabile" from 3rd. mvt. "Andante Cantabile" from Trio No. 7, Op. 97, L. Van Beethoven. Processional 526, "O Saviour, Precious Savior," A. H. Mann.

Venite in A Flat, Anon.

Te Deum in F, Van Boskerck.

Benedictus in E Flat, Anon.

Hymn 124, "Gracious Spirit, Holy Ghost," S. Stainer.

Gloria Patri in E Flat, J. Robinson.

Offertory, "Be Merciful Unto Me, O God," E. A. Sydenham.

Presentation of Alms, "Doxology."

Recessional 5, "Now That the Sun Is Gleaming Bright," A. H. Belnagle.

Organ Postlude, "Procession March," Scotson Clark.

The new Hymnal will be used for the first time at this service. Mr. Alby Hystad, baritone, will sing the solo in the offertory anthem. The choir rehearsals this week will be held as follows: Thursday at 4:30 p. m. for the junior girls choir, at the church; Thursday at 7:30 p. m. for the adults at the home of Prof. Thornton, 205 South Seventh street; Friday at 4:30 for the boy choir at the church.

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St. Peter's Episcopal church, corner Avon and Logan streets, North Side, Rev. W. J. MacCartney, pastor.

Services Sunday, February 26, 9:00 a. m., 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Sunday school at noon.

A very cordial invitation to all our services.

PRESBYTERIAN

First Presbyterian church, Sixth and King streets, Claude R. Shaver, minister.

Morning worship at 10:55, will offer consideration of a theme which has many and varied Christian interpretations—"The overflowing Life." It may also disclose a life secret which many have been glad to know in times past and which presents generations, perhaps, will appreciate when better understood.

Evening service at 7:30 is under auspices of the women's missionary society in the Annual Praise meeting. The Stereopticon lecture, on the "Iron Ranges of Wisconsin and Minnesota," will illustrate one of our greatest commercial industries, as well as one of the wholesome ministrations of the church. What's doing on our own state border should interest every citizen.

Bible schools meet at 9:45 a. m. in the church, with classes for all ages in charge of capable assistants. Grace Chapel School at 2:30 p. m.

Young People's Society meets at 6:30 p. m. for an hour of devotion and discussion. All young folk welcome.

Next Sabbath Chas. will be entertained by Mesdames Isabel Tofte and Ray Shireen, at the home of the latter, 328 North Ninth, on Wednesday afternoon. Ladies' Society will be the guest of Mrs. W. H. Sanders, in Grace Chapel on Wednesday afternoon at the usual hour.

A Fathers' Sons' and Brothers' supper will be given under auspices of the Fellowship League of the church, in the parlors on Tuesday evening; served by the Mothers' Circle. Members of the latter society are asked to notify the secretary in the parlors after morning service that some special announcements may be made.

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North Presbyterian church, Avon Logan streets, Malcolm O. Magnuson, minister.

Sabbath school at 9:45 a. m.

Morning worship at 11. This will be a law enforcement meeting, addressed by the Rev. Mr. Thos. W. Hales, a representative of the Wisconsin Anti-Saloon League. Let there be a larger attendance than usual.

Evening services at 7:30 p. m., with the cooperation of the C. E. society and with a most interesting subject, we ought to have a most excellent time. Wesley Schini and the pastor will lead and speak.

Our mid-week service on Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. We are looking for you, who have never attended one of these services.

On Friday, 4 p. m., the Missionary Union will have its annual meeting of the First Congregational church. Our ladies are asked to attend. Mrs. L. Ostrander, a missionary from Bulgaria, will speak. Luncheon will be served after the meeting and all are invited to partake.

LUTHERAN

Trinity Lutheran church, corner of Charles and Sill streets, E. O. Vik, pastor.

Service Sunday 10:30 a. m. Sermon in Norwegian.

Sunday school, with Bible classes, 9:30 a. m.

The Men's league will meet in the church parlors Friday evening. Mr. E. A. Lereet and Mr. Otto Erendum will be the hosts and attorney Otto Schalaich will be the speaker of the evening.

The choir will meet for rehearsal Tuesday evening. The catechumens will meet in the class room of the church Saturday at 10 a. m.

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Holy Trinity Lutheran church, West avenue and Ferry street, Rev. J. S. Rumberger, pastor.

Morning service 10:45.

Sunday school 9:30.

Luther League 6:45. Topic, "A Cobbler Missionary."

Catechumens classes each Saturday: seniors 8:00, juniors 10:00.

The Missionary society will meet with Mrs. E. C. Ulm, 118 South 18th street Tuesday afternoon. Topic: "The Why and How and Who of Foreign Missions." Leader, Mrs. H. Lupic.

The Boy Scouts meet on Thursday evening at 7:30.

This Sunday is set apart for prayer for our colleges. The subject of Christian education is so vital that it deserves the most serious consideration. Some attention will be given to this in the morning service.

Our Savior's Lutheran church, Sixth and Division, Rev. H. G. Magnuson, pastor.

Service in Norwegian at 10:30 a. m. Sermon by Rev. L. E. Evans.

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

No evening services.

Choir rehearsal Friday evening.

Confirmation class Saturday morning.

Thursday afternoon the Ladies' Aid will be entertained by Mrs. N. Nustad, Mrs. Magelssen and Mrs. Dr. Gundersen.

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St. Paul's Lutheran church, corner West avenue and Division street, Rev. H. T. Ryan, pastor.

Services at 10:15. Sermon in Norwegian, English services at 7:15 p. m. Sunday school, with Bible study classes at 9:30. An adult Bible Class will be started to which all are invited.

The Young People's Society will meet on Wednesday evening. The L. Engaas and Oscar Engaas families will entertain.

The confirmants meet on Saturday at 9:30 a. m.

The Boy Scouts meet in the afternoon on Saturday.

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German Lutheran church, corner West and Cameron avenues, J. T. Gamm, pastor.

Services in German at 10 a. m.

Preparatory service at 9:15 a. m.

Sunday school at 8:00 a. m.

English services in the evening at 7:30.

Ladies aid next Thursday afternoon. Young People's society Thursday evening.

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Bethel Lutheran church, corner George and Sill streets, Ralph Mortensen, pastor.

Sunday:

Morning worship, 10:45. English service. Rev. O. L. Robinson, of Milwaukee, will present the cause of the Anti-Saloon League of Wisconsin.

The choir will render "Thanksgiving and Praise," by Earle.

Evening worship, 7:15. Norwegian sermon—"The Lamb of God."

"Poor, Forsaken and Unknown," by Dahly will be sung by the choir.

Monday evening at seven, there will be held a Boys' Scout meeting in the church parlors. La Crosse Scout Executive will be present. All boys interested are welcome.

Choir rehearsal at eight.

Tuesday evening at eight, monthly business meeting of the church.

Wednesday at three, Ladies' Aid in church parlors, Mrs. T. Rund, Hostess. Everybody welcome.

Wednesday evening at eight, Bible study and prayer group meets at the home of Henry Mollodahl.

Thursday evening, Men's League. Rev. Ralph Mortensen, host.

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Immanuel Lutheran Church, corner Avon and St. Paul streets, Julius W. Berghuis, pastor. Services in English, 9:30 a. m. Services in German, 10:30 a. m. Sunday School, 11:30 a. m.

The Ladies' Society meets Friday afternoon, Mesdames C. Haefner, Frieda Grein, S. Lambert, and W. Lumley hostesses.

The Young People's Society Friday evening, Bertha Dobrunz, Frieda Dobrunz, and Donald Ryall entertaining.

RESCUE MISSION

La Crosse Rescue Mission, 226 1/2 Main street, D. C. Dewey, supt., Mrs. D. C. Dewey, missionary.

Sunday school at 3:00, followed by a prayer meeting.

Evangelistic service at 7:30.

Sermon preceded by a good, lively song service of thirty minutes.

Prayer meeting every morning at nine.

We have a service every night but Monday.

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Rev. C. C. Rowlison will speak on Thursday night. The speaker for Tuesday night will be announced later.

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CONGREGATIONAL

The First Congregational church, Seventh and Main streets, Rev. Carlos C. Rowlinson, pastor.

Services of public worship at 10:30 o'clock, to which all are most cordially invited. At this time we are emphasizing the relationship of fathers and sons. The sermon will be, "The Choice of a Vocation." All men are urged to attend this service and bring a son or other boy with them. The chorus will be, "The Lord is Satisfied," Sydenham. Mr. Ivory will sing, "My Redeemer and My Lord," by Dudley Buck.

Church school at usual hours.

The Young People's Society, 5:30 to 7:00 o'clock, will be addressed by Mrs. Leroy F. Ostrander, who has been a missionary with her husband for twenty years in Samokov, Bulgaria. All who are interested are invited.

On Tuesday evening the Men's Club will hold a "Fathers and Sons" banquet. All men in any way connected with the church are requested to attend this banquet, and each is asked to bring his son or some one's else son with him. Rev. W. S. Stewart will speak upon "The Boy and the Community." There will be many other interesting features.

The Woman's Missionary union of the City will hold its annual meeting in the parlors of this church, Friday afternoon March 3rd. After the supper at five o'clock, Mrs. Ostander will give an address. All ladies of this and other churches are invited. Supper will be 40 cents. Those planning to come are requested to notify Mrs. Walter S. Woods, phone 750-M, not later than Thursday.

ADVENTIST

Preaching service at the Seventh Day Adventist church, corner of Liberty and Clinton streets, Sunday night, 7:30. Subject, "Walking in the Light." Why we need light, how we get it, result if followed, or rejected will be brought out in this study. We can not hope to advance unless we keep pace with advance light. The church is far behind its privileges. The devil is not dead, if the church is. Christ says, "Awake thou sleeper, and I will give thee light."

This may be the last Sunday night service at the church for some time, at least. Come worship with us. We will make you feel welcome.

Evangelist B. J. White.

EVANGELICAL

The Evangelical Free Church, 15th and Winnebago streets, E. A. Jonasson, pastor.

Morning service at 10:15 in the Norwegian language.

As we now are to begin the extra meetings this our subject will be "The Fall of Jericho," Gosh. do Shall we follow God's plan? Sunday school at 12:00. Miss Dena Berg, superintendent.

Young People's meeting at 6:30 p. m. Mr. O. L. Larson, leader. Mrs. Jonasson will lead this meeting because Mr. Larsen is in Houston, Minn. this Sunday.

Evening service at 8:00 o'clock, in the English language.

Mr. P. N. Johnson and the pastor will preach at this meeting, and the orchestra will also be there.

Tuesday evening choir practice at 8:00.

Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 8:00 o'clock.

Friday evening the Ladies Aid meets in the church at 8:00 o'clock.

Rev. L. R. Lunde will begin a series of extra meetings Friday and we ask all to come to the services. He is a good preacher and a good singer. Come, begin this Sunday. All are welcome.

"Teach us to number our days that we may apply our hearts unto wisdom." (Psalm 90, 12).

THE SALVATION ARMY

Tonight open air meeting at 7:30.

Praise meeting in hall at 8 o'clock.

Subject: "Lights Out."

Sunday morning, 10:30 o'clock, Holiness meeting; subject, "Ministers With Ability."

Company meeting (Sunday School) 2:00 p. m. We want the children. Send yours along.

Salvation meeting 8:00 p. m. Congregational singing. Come and join in the free spirited meeting. Subject "Work or Starve"

This meeting is preceded by an open air meeting at 7:30 p. m.

Tuesday night soldiers' meeting. We invite our Christian friends into this meeting.

Thursday night, subject,—"National Unrest—Its Remedy." This is also a report meeting when each comrade will be called upon to report what they have done to make the one soul campaign a success. Friday night, prayer meeting in hall at 8 o'clock. Capt. and Mrs. H. Ivan Ryan, officers in charge.

UNIVERSALIST

St. Paul's Universalist church, corner Cass and Eighth streets, Rev. Nellie Mann Updale, pastor.

Sunday, 3 p. m., regular service of the Sunday school.

8 p. m., regular preaching service. The sermon will be a pre-lenten sermon. You are cordially invited to be present—remember the hour, 8 p. m.

Thursday, March 2nd, the regular meeting of the Ladies Circle will be held at 2 p. m., at the home of Mrs. A. S. Frink, 521 Ferry street. Mrs. Frink and Mrs. Fifield as hostesses.

Friday, March 3rd, at 4 p. m., the annual meeting of the missionary union will be held at the Congregational church. The speaker will be Mrs. Ostrander, a visiting missionary from Bulgaria.

REFORMED

St. John's Reformed church, Fourth and Market, G. Stockmeier, pastor.

Sunday school at 9:15 a. m.

German service at 10:30 a. m. Sermon on "Ps. 23, 1: "The Lord is my Shepherd; I shall not want."

Young people's society meets at 6:30 p. m.

Our scouts meet Tuesday at 7:30 p. m.

Popular monthly meeting of the Ladies Society Thursday afternoon.

Choir rehearsal Thursday evening.

Orchestra rehearsal Friday evening.

Catechical instruction Saturday at nine.

SPIRITUALIST

Spiritualist church meets in Trades and Labor hall, 427 Jay street.

Sunday evening at 7:30, Rev. Catherine McFarlin, minister of the church, will speak.

Wednesday evening the psychic class meets at the same place and time. Mrs. McFarlin will demonstrate Dual Personalities with psychic readings.

This church welcomes all who are seekers after the truth.

BAPTIST

First Baptist church, W. S. Stewart, pastor.

Sunday school at 9:45. Classes for all. Our school continues to grow.

Morning worship at 11:00. The pastor will preach the last sermon in the series on "The Great Essentials of Our Faith." The subject of the sermon is "Life After Death."

B. Y. P. U. at 6:30.

Evening worship at 7:30. Sermon topic: "A Young Man's Mistake."

Wednesday at 4:45 meeting of the Boy Scouts.

Prayer meeting on Wednesday at eight and Teacher Training class at nine.

On Thursday evening a pageant will be given by the girls of the Quest class at eight o'clock. Fine slides have been secured and they will be shown. This pageant is "The Demonstration of Love." Adults will be admitted for 10 cents and children for five. Everyone will enjoy this service.

After the sermon on Sunday night the Boy Scouts will have an investiture ceremony.

All are cordially invited to every service of our church. The church with a spiritual message and a warm welcome.

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Scandinavian Baptist Church, corner Charles and Logan streets, T. Rundsen pastor.

Morning services at 10:30.

Sunday school from 12 to 1. Mr. E. A. Forss, superintendent and teacher of bible-class.

Young People's meeting at 6:15 p. m.

Evening services at 7:30, Mr. U. E. Gibson from Neenah, Wis. will preach both morning and evening.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Y. W. C. A.

Young Women's Christian association, 420 Main street. Vesper services at four thirty, with Presbyterian ladies in charge. Mrs. Shank will preside at the meeting, and Mrs. Wiley will be the soloist. The Needlecraft Club will serve Vesper Tea.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Cass and Eighth streets.

Sunday service at 11:00 a. m.

Subject: Christ Jesus.

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at eight o'clock.

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PREVENTIVE—AT CHURCH TOMORROW.

IRON RANGES TO BE PICTURED IN A CHURCH LECTURE

That the Volstead act has made a difference among the foreign speaking elements of our state may be seen in the change which has come over some of the mining towns along the iron ranges of our northern border. At Hurley, Wis., two years ago, in a village of only a few thousand inhabitants, sixty-three saloons thrived side by side upon the earnings of the well paid miners. These new arrivals in America were here wasting their funds which should have been spent upon their large and growing families. It is not to be expected that habits thus formed could be changed in a moment and altogether by an act of congress. Hence there remains even today some bootlegging and moonshine business.

But some other wholesome processes are going on up there, which will be illustrated in the series of pictures to be shown at First Presbyterian church Sunday evening, "The Iron Ranges" with their great steam shovels and varied foreign settlements, the ore trains and Superior freighters, the children in the streets and in the schools—all will be seen in every-day settings. Besides, there will be disclosed some of the processes whereby these "strangers," and in some cases outlaws, are being transformed into thoughtful and law-abiding citizens, who respect the American flag and the higher ideals which it symbolizes.

Until a few years ago this large alien population of over two hundred thousand souls was being neglected by the older neighborhoods, with results often disastrous to peace and order. But today schools of religion and manual training are exercising a very wholesome influence over the communities. For example the Mazzini Circle, which is the Men's club of the Italian Presbyterian church holds a medal from the Red Cross society of Italy in recognition of special services to that country rendered by its members during the late war.

Sixty recent views in natural colorings will illustrate these facts, as well as give vivid ideas of one of the remarkable, yet unfamiliar industries of the Badger state and vicinity.

The lecture will be given by the pastor, Rev. Claude R. Shaver, under auspices of the Women's Missionary society as a feature of their annual praise meeting. It is open to the public and will begin at seven-thirty.

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PRAY IN SECLUSION

BUT thou, when thou prayest: enter into thy closet, and when thou hast shut thy door, pray to thy Father which is in secret; and thy Father which seeth in secret shall reward thee openly. For your Father knoweth what things ye have need of, before ye ask Him.—Matt. 6, 6, 8.

"Coercion"

PRESIDENT HARDING went to congress with an executive opinion that the soldiers' bonus could be met without disastrous consequences to business and the country's prosperity only by a sales tax. He has written letters to senators on this and other subjects as a means of conveying his opinions. We do not agree with the president that this is the only method. By diverting savings on the army and the navy to a bonus, and discontinuing payment of long time bonds, it ought to be possible to finance the bonus even though interest payments on our foreign credits do not become available. Senator La Follette does not agree with President Harding as to the possibility of paying a bonus. But Senator La Follette says that in conveying his ideas to congress the president was using a "club." It is difficult to see the club. It is a constitutional duty of the president to acquaint congress with his opinions about matters coming before it. Had the president conveyed his meaning in a special message, this could not have been referred to as coercion. When governor of Wisconsin, Senator La Follette frequently sent special messages to the legislature intended to influence its attitude towards legislation. Whether by a special message, or by the more informal means of a letter to a senator, seems to make no difference. How opinions differ on this question is shown by the fact that one congressman expressed the opinion that it was the duty of the president to advise congress whether or not he would veto a bonus bill containing features to which he had expressed objections. The fact is that the president, responsible primarily for the administration of the government, performs an important service when he discloses to congress his judgment as to whether what it is doing or may do is compatible with the resources available for carrying out the intent of legislation. Congress is free to make of the president's views whatever uses it deems just and wise. To advise, or even to exhort is not coercion. Congress has often demonstrated this by running counter to the most urgent appeals of presidents.

Closed

A CASUAL glance over the three points that Poincare and Lloyd George are said to have agreed to ignore at the Genoa conference, and the three additional ones that Poincare will insist upon as a preliminary to French participation, leave one wondering what there is of any importance left for the conference to consider.

We are told that the conference

Will not discuss the alteration of existing treaties.

Will not mention the reparations question.

Will do nothing that will add or subtract from the present functions of the League of Nations.

And if M. Poincare has his way the conference will also take down the bars to interference in internal affairs of Germany, Austria and Hungary, and will not even discuss recognition of Soviet Russia until it has reformed according to allied ideas, including acceptance of the former Russian government's financial obligations.

Some of these stipulations are of themselves probably justifiable. But taken together they operate as a complete bar, it would seem, to anything but oratory as a result of the conference. How can there be an economic achievement of any value whatever in the present condition of Europe when the question of reparations is thrown out in advance? The reparation issue is probably the biggest single factor in the present blight on industrial and trade activity in Europe, encouraging governmental extravagance by raising impossible hopes of recoupment, necessitating great armies of occupation, muddling exchange rates and inspiring violent international suspicion and hatred. Equally destructive almost is the provision that no existing treaties shall be examined at the meeting. The whole reparations question hinges upon the treaty of Versailles, and other treaties create the present precarious organization, or lack of it, which has blocked the normal trade channels of Europe. Treaties, for instance, are responsible for the isolation of Austria which has ruined its industry and brought the remnant of the empire to beggary and its capital, Vienna, to starvation.

There is talk of postponing the conference. One's impulse is to say that it might just as well be done. With the rigid limitation of the agenda which has been noted there seems to be small reason for holding it at all. The developments of the last few days must be disappointing to everyone who had expected some beginning of a co-operative effort to untangle the mess in Europe, not least of all to those Americans who had hoped for a full and frank discussion going to the roots of the trouble, at which the United States could be present with some prospect of exerting its influence in the direction of a saner world. Perhaps, had the United States exhibited a greater readiness to take part, or provided the allies with a clear statement of the conditions under which it would consent to attend, there might have been a more hopeful prospect now. But that is hindsight—and indeed the temper of foreign governments exhibited recently provides no warrant for thinking that they would in any case have met such a proposition in the concessive spirit vital to the success of such a conference. At any rate, the opportunity now seems closed. There may be something called an economic conference at Genoa, but it will not make much difference to the state of Europe.

New York club women are debating whether a dog or a cow is man's best friend. Did you ever see a cow rush out to meet a man coming from work?

A woman wants divorce because her husbanband tried to sell her for $400. Perhaps this was far below cost and made her feel cheap.

A Chicago man who believed what a bootlegger told him is learning to read with his fingers.

Nice thing about coal miners striking in April is it isn't ice men.

Headline "Trouble in Ireland" has changed to "Ireland in Trouble."

Hush, little Shoals, don't you cry; Henry will get you, by and by.

Blessed are the poor in salary for they shall pay no income tax.

A man who owes everything to his wife doesn't always pay.

Fine motto: Open your eyes and shut your mouth.

Yap island would be a fine place to put Hollywood.

All work and no pay makes Jill a dull wife.

A wrinkle is a grin gone wrong.

In Ye Olden Times

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY

The contract for the construction of the overhead passageway from the St. Francis hospital to St. Anne's hospital on Market street was let to the Western Construction company yesterday for $4,995. The work will start March 20. The passageway will be supported by four posts and will be nineteen feet above ground. It will be ninety-four feet long and ten feet wide.

J. A. Norris, factory inspector for the state industrial commission reached La Crosse today for a week's inspection of this city's factories. He will make special examination to find out whether women's labor laws are being observed here.

Frank Zimmerly has gone into partnership with William Eldridge as proprietor of the Dreamland theatre on Caledonia street.

The first issue of the Wisconsin Poultryman, a new monthly magazine published at West Salem has made its appearance and is an excellent periodical. The object of the magazine is to be of practical assistance to every poultryman. Among the articles in the first issue of the magazine is one by E. H. Hoffman of this city, on the topic "Which Is the Best Breed?"

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY

E. J. Wiles, agent for the Burlington road at Grand Crossing, has resigned and will go to Bangor to take over the active management of a stock farm of 415 acres owned by his father.

A document filed with the secretary of state yesterday marks the definite official beginning of a movement that is bound to make La Crosse the center of a splendid system of suburban electric railways. The document comprises the articles of incorporation of the La Crosse and Eastern Railway company whose purpose is to acquire, equip and operate a street, suburban and interurban railway. The stockholders will include about fifty La Crosse business men and capitalists.

William W. Ustick, until ten years ago one of the oldest pioneer residents in La Crosse and one of the founders of the Baptist church here died in Dubuque Monday night. Mr. Ustick was 86 years old. He came to La Crosse in 1852 and worked at the Republican and Leader where he was foreman of the composing room. Ten years ago he went to Dubuque to live with his daughter and published the Dubuque Baptist.

THIRTY YEARS AGO TODAY

St. Joseph's Cathedral was crowded to the doors this morning long before the time set for the ceremonies which were to consecrate Rt. Rev. James Schwebach bishop of the La Crosse diocese. The ceremonies began at 9:30 a. m. and will not be over until tonight. Distinguished churchmen from all over the state are in the city to assist in the services. Tonight at 7:30 a procession will form at Sixth and Main streets. It will be headed by a band and will march through the down town streets.

C. D. Dahl has moved his shoe shop into the new building at 826 Mill street.

The ferryboat Warsaw has been sold to a firm in Canton, Missouri, and will go to that place when the river opens to be used in the ferry business. The old boat has been of no use here since the wagon bridge was built.

Rev. E. L. Myrland has resigned the pastorate of the Scandinavian Baptist church of North La Crosse. He will go to South Dakota to live.

At the Witching Hour

BY MARTHA McC. WILLIAMS

At the right witching hour magic makes itself of the very simplest things. Witness Keith's undoing. The spell was wrought thus-wise: Items, one white frock, one head of red-gold hair, one pair of slate blue eyes, deeply set, with black lashes; items various, a child's food, a berry-stained set of taper fingers, matched by adorable lips, likewise stained. And there you are. Keith was three and twenty, a good tall fellow, just now far from happy. He had been struggling up from the depths of a first rejection. Molly Manners had thrown him there—hard. Now he blessed her as a misfit patron saint. Suppose she had not so thrown him and this fairy goddess had happened?

He had been tramping sturdily all afternoon. Now, with the sun westering sharply, he had begun to think of supper and a bed. Camping was all well with company and preparedness, but sleeping on bare earth and an empty stomach did not appeal to him. Thus evidently his heartache was by way of easing itself normally, even without the magic. Plus the magic, it evaporated like dew in sunshine, leaving in its stead a throbbing anxiety lest this creature of delight vanish before he found courage to approach her.

The berry thicket ran along the edge of the woods, with tall trees flinging their shade athwart it. Up in the trees a pair of bluejays had been playing at hide and seek, chasing each other and making hideous calls. Suddenly the calls grew sharper—the birds with risen crests and vibrant wings darted at the thicket, swooped a second above it, rose a few yards, struck downward again at its very heart, then fluttered away in wild excitement, scolding their loudest. The magician looked at them thoughtfully. "Maybe you see a snake," she said. Then with a half shriek and a stumble backward, "I see him too—a cotton mouth! O dear Lord, help me! I don't want to die that way!"

Ashen faced, she yet snatched a dead branch, and stood very straight. Keith thought he had never seen anything so fine. Fear was writ large in every lineament—but not a thought of blanching—she would stand her ground. "Where is the snake?" he called hushedly, fearing to startle her further. "Right there—by that tall weed—he was on a vine, has dropped down—and will come after me."

"He will not!" Keith interposed, springing in front of her involuntarily she caught his arm, crying, "Look out! You don't know the danger. If he strikes you—you die!"

Keith peered in the vine recesses with trained huntsman eyes—there he saw dimly a thickish sinuous body striped copper-bronze, pale yellow and black—the black in narrow lines betwixt the colors. He knew the reptile in books—that it was sluggish-venomous, treacherous. If only he had his revolver—foolishly he had left it behind. He had only his alpenstock and a stout knife—either meant close quarters. He stood measuring the distance for a stroke, noting the while the slow glide of the reptile toward the girl. As he made to launch a blow at it a bullet from behind clipped the snake's head neatly off, then a set, drawling voice said evenly: "Reckon next time you go blackberryin', Miss Jincy, you won't be so uppity about lettin' me go too."

"Indeed, indeed, I won't, Phil," Miss Jincy answered, her color coming back in a flood. "You are certainly the right man in the right place just now. But—you see I wasn't in such dreadful danger. This gentleman," smiling at Keith, "would not have let him bite me, even if he had to spoil his nice stick."

"If he had I reckon somebody would a-spoiled him," Phil said truculently. Then changing mood and tone instantly: "Is your name Keith? Thought so. I've got a letter here from Sam Jayson tellin' me to look out you don't get snake-bit, nor carried away by varmints. Heaps and heaps of varmints, you know—wildcats, 'coons, 'possums and foxes, not name the willapus-wallapus. Ever hear about it? It's new to most folks—they say it got loose from a circus somewhere up North and stopped over here on its way back to the gulf."

"Shame on you, Phil! You know there's not any—such—thing," Miss Jincy said reprovingly. "Instead of trying to frighten a stranger you might introduce him. As you won't—I'm Jincy Leavall, Mr. Keith. And I live over yonder," nodding toward a red roof, barely showing above the hedgerows. "Phil there—he is Phil Dancy—keeps back on beyond. You can stay all night with him, but I invite you both to supper at our house. You look hungry and Phil is never any other way this time of the day."

"You said something!" Phil flung back airily: "Keith I'm 'glad to see you. I want to find out how to run away from girls and have good times all by myself."

"Find another teacher, please," Keith flung back: "I only thought I know how—the last half hour has shown me better."

"You two don't need to pick a quarrel over me," Miss Jincy said tranquilly: "Sally Ford and Ruthy Davis are coming to stay all night, Billy Davis brings them—you know he never lets his sister go anywhere by herself."

"Especially not to your house," Phil interjected: "Wish I had a sister—nobody's brothe would have anything on me."

A big, clean, airy flower-scented house, a glorious supper, much music and laughter, interspersed with games afterward, made Keith's head fairly whirl. He had never thought country life could be like this—the Leavalls and their menage were equal to any he knew in the home suburbs. And the gay company lost nothing by contrast with the jazz crowds of the set entertainment he was used to. Idly he wondered how people had gained ideas of roughnecks and hayseeds—so unlike the real thing. But speculation did not make him blind to the keen watch Phil kept upon him nor the exceeding discomfort of Billy Davis at sight of him.

Evidently those two were prime rivals of Miss Jincy's favor—each feared the other mightily, but was ready to make common cause with him against an outlander. Miss Jincy herself bore out the impression—she insisted that the whole party should escort Phil and his guest home—at the witching hour when cocks were crowing midnight.

There was pairing, of course—Phil took Jincy, as of right. Billy Davis walked perforce with Sally Ford, leaving Keith no choice of company—but Ruthy Davis was so softly merry, he could not complain. At the gate there were loud confabulations as to next day, the next, and the afternext—but presently came bed and sleep. Keith had not thought it possible to sleep—but after long tramping nature has her way.

He woke to find the sun an hour high, breakfast smoking on the table, and his host sitting outside deep in the country paper, brought in late yesterday. He shouted a gay good morning and when later they sat eating told droll jokes, as though there were no such things as girls and rivalry in the world. But as they sauntered outside, puffing pipes of very good tobacco, he wheeled upon Keith, saying grimly: "You saw me clip that snake's head—how'd you like to swap shots with me?"

"What for?" Keith demanded, his eyes blazing.

"For love—name no names," Phil returned.

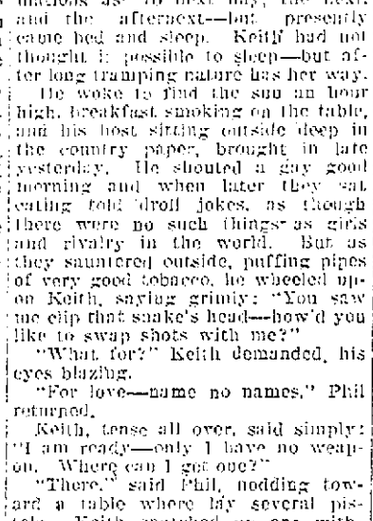
Keith, tense all over, said simply: "I am ready—only I have no weapon. Where can I get one?"

"There," said Phil, nodding toward a table where lay several pistols. Keith snatched up one without looking and stepped out into the sunshine, saying in steely tones "Now, forward."

"'Bout face? One," Phil cried, raising his pistol. Keith did likewise, gray-faced, but steady.

Phil looked at him, smiling grimly—and fired in air, saying: "Jincy said last night she loved you best—you may have her. But you should not have lived to do it if you had shown the white feather."

Abe Martin



Ever'body said, in 1918, that we'd never be able t' repay our soldier boys an' we guess they was right. It may be purty tough sleddin' fer workin' men, but we've never seen workin' girls as prosperous lookin' as they are t'day.

SCHOOL STUDY SPORTS

THE BOYS AND GIRLS NEWSPAPER

HUMOR PLAY WORK

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In The Pirates' Cave

WHEN THE BRIDGES BURNED

OLD WIND was whistling around the corners of the Cave when we fellers who make up the Pirate Six squatted on our soap boxes. It was my turn to tell a story.

"A good many years ago," says I, when the gang all had got seated comfortable, "there was an old turnpike in Indiana running south for some seventy-five miles out of the little city of Logansport. This road was owned by a private company and they charged the people toll for going over it. This made the farmers and village people mad, so one night a bunch of them got together and blew up and burned every bridge and toll house in a twenty mile stretch of the road.

Who Did It?

"Course the turnpike company was pretty sore. But they couldn't find out who done it. So they hired a detective—his name was N. H. Smiley, and he's a friend of my dad's and he told us this story once—that's how I know it—they hired Mr. Smiley to investigate.

"They sent him to Henpeck, Indiana, which was a little village located on the twenty mile stretch of road where the damage had been done.

"Well, Mr. Smiley figured he had quite a job ahead of him rounding up a whole gang of people, for it must have been a mob that did all the damage that was done.

"He decided he'd go into town as a tramp and get a job with the gang of laborers that the turnpike company had hired to repair the road. The turnpike company fixed it up with the foreman of the gang so Mr. Smiley would be sure to get a job.

Henpeckers Shun Detective

"At first not a soul in Henpeck would have anything to do with Mr. Smiley. They wouldn't bother with any of the laborers. They figured that these men were in cahoots with the turnpike company.

"Nobody, that is, except one feller, the school teacher in the town. Course he never suspected Mr. Smiley was a detective.

"The two of them got pretty thick. Through conversations with the teacher the detective became pretty sure that he knew the people who had done the damage. Bit by bit he found out more details of how the dirty work had been done, and not once did the teacher suspect he was being pumped.

"And then one Sunday the teacher and Mr. Smiley were riding along a road near Henpeck, when a big storm come up. 'Let's drive over to that house across the field,' says the teacher. 'I know the people there.'

"When they got there they found two young fellers about twenty years old standing on the porch, and they seemed to be friends of the teacher's. The two boys were brothers, Mr. Smiley learned, and above the noise of the rain and thunder, he learned from their conversation that these boys and this teacher not only knew who had blown up and burnt the bridges, but that they had helped to do it themselves!

The Detective Has a Scheme

"In order not to arouse any suspicions, Mr. Smiley never let on that he was wise. But on the Saturday of that week he persuaded the teacher and the two brothers to go with him to Logansport to spend the week-end.

"Logansport, you see, was where the headquarters of the turnpike company were located.

"That Saturday, when they pulled into Logansport, Mr. Smiley made some excuse for getting away from his three companions for a few minutes. He hurried to the turnpike offices. 'I've got three of the mob here in town. Let's pinch 'em,' says he. So the manager got a couple of police and Mr. Smiley led them to where the three fellers were waiting. They didn't have any trouble at all arresting them.

"And within the next thirty minutes, those three Henpeckers not only confessed their part in the crime, but they gave the names of twenty-nine other men.

"Some detective work, ain't it, fellers? I betcha Mr. Smiley stuck out his chest, huh?"—AL STUBBS, Scribe of the Pirate Six.

TO-DAY'S PUZZLE

With words meaning to go by, to stake as in a game of cards, to cook slowly, and having been fastened together with thread, form a four-word square.

Answer to yesterday's: "All work and no play make Jack a dull boy."

Answer to to-day's: Pass, ante, stew, sewn.

ONE REEL YARNS

THE GINGHAM GIRL

"I don't want my new dress to be gingham," pouted Alice. "I'm tired of gingham dresses. I want something pretty and light like the dresses Persis wears.

"But you can have pretty, bright colors in ginghams, and they will wear much better," her mother said.

"I don't want to have things that wear," said Alice.

"Very well," said her mother, "this once you shall have the sort of dress you pick out."

So Alice went gaily off to the store to get samples. She finally decided on a flowered material for her new spring dress and brought it home, with the pattern all picked out. Her mother said nothing, but went ahead and made it for her.

"You must be careful of it," she said. "I think it will fade."

"Of course, I'll be careful," said Alice. "I'm that proud of it!"

Every one liked her new dress, and even Persis, who had more pretty clothes than any girl in the school, approved of it. Alice found it a little inconvenient, however, when their teacher invited them to a flower hunt, and she dared not go for fear of catching her dress on the brambles or getting it grass-stained.

"What is the matter with you, Alice?" said her mother a week later. "You seem so quiet lately, without much pep."

"Well," said Alice, without looking at her mother, "I've been sort of staying at home, because—well, I couldn't go on a hike with Dick and Louise for fear of spoiling my dress, and that's why I didn't go with the girls on the picnic, and I have to change into my old apron the minute I come home from school, and then I can't go out to play awhile. I wonder—if I couldn't earn some money for a gingham dress."

LOCAL WIRELESS OPERATORS HEAR DETROIT CONCERT

The radio broadcasting station whose official call is "W. B. L." has just been completed recently and is operated by the "Detroit News," Detroit, Mich.' This station is sufficiently equipped to have a consistent range of over 1,000 miles and can be heard by all amateurs having standard audion receiving sets in this city and vicinity.

On Friday night the above mentioned broadcasting station was connected to an auditorium where the Detroit Symphony orchestra gave several fine selections. Loud applause from the audience could be distinctly heard after each number at several receiving stations here in La Crosse.

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STATE WILL BUILD MORE ROADS THIS YEAR THAN IN 1921

Mileage Will be Greater Despite Four Million Cut in Funds Available this Year

LOWER LABOR AND MATERIAL COSTS MEAN MORE BUILDING

Work on 1922 Program to Start on April First

MADISON, Wis.—While available funds for road construction in Wisconsin during the approaching construction season will be $4,000,000 less than in 1921 more mileage is expected to be built than last year, A. A. Hirst, highway engineer, announced Saturday.

Final reports compiled by the highway department show that a total of $26,300,000 is available for use on state roads, compared to slightly over $30,000,000 expended last year. Of this amount $6,000,000 is federal aid, $13,800,000 state aid, largely county bond issue and $2,000,000 county aid, with $1,500,000 for maintenance issue and $2,000,000 county aid, with $1,500,000 for maintenance. Lower labor and material costs will make possible the increased construction which is expected to result in the building of 400 miles of concrete road from a smaller fund than was required in 1921 to build 350 miles, in addition to 1500 miles of gravel highway and several hundred miles of grading.

The highway commission, Mr. Hirst said, would enter the labor market April 1, when the first of the 18,000 men who will be employed during the summer, are put to work. At that time a portion of the 1500 maintenance patrolmen will take up their duties in the southern counties.

May 1 marks the opening in full swing of the construction season. From that time on through the summer added thousands of men will be given employment at wages, which while considerably lower than last year, are standard for common labor.

Labor cost, Mr. Hirst estimates will be reduced 30 per cent over last year, with pay at an average of $3 a day for men and $6 for a team, compared to $4.25 a day for men and $8 a day for a team in 1921.

In construction work about one-third of the cost of concrete highway goes for labor, with two-thirds for cement. Lower cement costs expected to result form the buyers strike of Middle Western states will bring a further reduction in the expense of building concrete roads and permit added mileage with less funds.

Labor costs are almost down to the pre-war figure when men were available at $2.50 a day and teams at $5. During 1920 wages were $6 a day for men and $10 a day for teams.

Counties throughout the state have authorized liberal bond issues for construction this coming year, the last for which said aid funds are available to meet the county expenditures, and the federal appropriation.

Nearly $10,000,000 of the $13,500,000 state aid money is available through county bond issues. Approximately $3,800,000 will come through the state highway tax, while the $3,500,000 for maintenance is derived from automobile license fees.

Construction is to be at its peak in Wisconsin this season. Legislative action will be needed before funds will be available in any large amounts for a continuance of the program of building set out by the highway department. It is thought that one of the first acts of the 1923 legislature will be to meet the road problem which was accentuated by the action of the 1921 legislature in killing the highway privilege tax bill.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following applications for marriage licenses have been made at the office of the county clerk:

Edward Noel, Prosper, Minn., and Harriet Whiting, La Crosse.

Olaf Rolden and Mabel Weyerstad, Holmen, Wis.

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OFFICERS ELECTED BY PARENT-TEACHERS BODY OF VIROQUA

VIROQUA, Wis.—The Viroqua Parent-Teacher's Association was organized in this city recently. The following officers were elected: President, O. E. Davis; vice-president, Mrs. F. H. Williams; secretary, Mrs. Clinton Nuzum. The standing committees appointed are: Program: Mrs. Roy Baldwin, Mrs. W. F. Lindemann, Mrs. J. L. Baptie, Rev. Bullock, Mr. T. N. Brewer.

Social Welfare: Mesdames M. A. Smith, Nels Formey, Stella Fulton, George Sanford, and Mr. J. O. Anderson.

Health: Miss. Lucy Dawson, Mrs. W. E. Lawton, Mrs. C. S. Slack.

Topics will be taken up by the association which pertain to a better understanding and improvement of community problems. Every citizen of Viroqua is invited to become a member.

ELECTION BOARD OF SPARTA CONFIRMED BY COMMON COUNCIL

SPARTA, Wis.—County Sheriff Charles Torrance has been vacating the jail of late and taking prisoners to their respective places. He took George Keeler to Waupun to begin his ten months sentence, and Charles Viau to Green Bay reformatory, Joe Aitken the Ponzah Indian forger to Green Bay to enter upon his three year term and Alice Finch, 15, of the town of Sparta to the Milwaukee reformatory for girls.

The following is the election board for the city of Sparta confirmed at the last meeting of the common council:

First ward Inspectors, D. D. Cheney, Walter Ellis, L. H. Conger; clerks, W. K. Moffat, Dell Streeter; ballot clerks, G. W. Shafer and J. H. Hoffman.

Second ward—Inspectors, Frank Groves, G. W. Quackenbush, Miss Olive Chadsey; clerks, Mrs. J. Nicol, Mrs. H. Teasdale; ballot clerks, G. W. Starkey, Max Harris.

Third ward—Inspectors, L. Losby, R. Becky and J. Hay; clerks, Wm. Albrecht, M. Lagden; ballot clerks, Dave Jarvis, Don Sullivan.

Fourth ward—Inspectors, C. T. Lamson, Fred Teall, J. L. Saidell; clerks, C. E. Morrow, W. E. Foster; ballot clerks, E. W. Dickerson, E. R. Williams.

Mrs. Frank Herring, nee Olga Alvina Schmeichel died at her farm home in East Beaver Creek, Monday morning, at the age of thirty-five years. She was born in Sparta and her girlhood and womanhood were spent in this city. In the year 1906, she was united in marriage to Frank Herring. There remain to mourn her loss, her husband, one son, her mother and her brother Otto of Sparta.

Funeral services were held on Wednesday afternoon, at one thirty o'clock from her late home in East Beaver Creek, Rev. J. S. Morris, pastor of the Congregational church officiating. Interment in Woodlawn cemetery.

PHOTOS AT MOEN' SHOP REVEAL BIG STORM DAMAGE

The magnitude of the sleet storm which swept this section Wednesday and the damage it did is revealed in photographs which came from various counties nearby, shown in the window of the C. R. Moen photo shop at 124 South Third street.

It is a splendid collection of pictures, telling an amazing story.

VERSAILLES.—Henri Landru, the "Bluebeard of Gambais," died on the guillotine.

LON CHANEY

Your characterizations have made people gasp; but you have never driven them to the corner of an opera chair and held them and thrilled them like I can. I challenge you, too.

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"STRONGHEART"

NOTICE

Dr. Wrixon, Mgr., STEAMBOAT CAPITOL ORCHESTRA, announces that he has again secured the services of his original violinist, Mr. Harry La Frenz, and also Mr. John Eberhart, saxophonist, recently with the National Black and White Melody Boys. No doubt you have heard their phonograph records. This orchestra of six musicians will play for a dance at

CONCORDIA HALL

Sunday, Feb. 26

Don't miss hearing them this time, as the orchestra is now better than ever, and this is the last big dance before Lent.

DANCE

In The MOVIES

NORMA TALMADGE—RIVOLI

The Norma Talmadge picture, which ends today at the Rivoli theater, is an adaptation of the stage play of the same name, "The Wonderful Thing," which had such a successful run, with Jane Eagles as the star. Many things, both amusing and dramatic, which of necessity did not appear in the stage version because of the limited scope, are shown in the film version, so that critics have hailed it as being a distinct improvement over the spoken play.

Miss Talmadge plays the same role, that of Jacqueline Boggs, as did Miss Eagles. Harrison Ford plays opposite her, and Mrs. Lydig Hoyt, the young New York society beauty who has forsaken the routine of a social existence for a career as a screen artist, has the leading feminine role in the supporting cast. Howard Truesdale, Robert Agnew, Ethel Fleming, Mabel Bert, Fanny Burke, Walter McEwen and Charles Craig also have prominent parts.

Herbert Brenon, who has been responsible for the last two Norma Talmadge productions, directed "The Wonderful Thing," as well as collaborating with Clark Beranger in adapting it for screen use from the stage version, which was the work of Lillian Trimble Bradley and Forrest Halsey.

THE DE HAVENS—MAJESTIC

There are two suspicious wives in "My Lady Friends," starring Mr. and Mrs. Carter De Haven, closing its run at the Majestic today. It is a farce comedy and declared to be among the best produced thus far by the De Havens, who are past masters of farce.

De Haven plays the part of James Smith, a publisher of Bibles, who has grown fabulously rich, and has a "close" wife.

When three young women in whom Smith is interested, wire him simultaneously that they are on their way to his summer home in Atlantic City, he becomes desperate. While there has been nothing wrong in his friendship with them, wives are wives, and liable to become suspicious.

Thereupon Smith enlisted the aid of a lawyer, but he messed things up. Before leaving he presented Friend Wife with a bouquet. Such an act always aroused her suspicions, and she confided them to Mrs. Smith. Whereupon the two suspicious wives hired detectives, got on the trail and provided some undesirable complications for poor Smith.

COOPER'S Riviera

NORTH LA CROSSE.

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TODAY ONLY

JAMES OLIVER CURWOOD'S Super-Feature

"FLOWER OF THE NORTH"

With HENRY WALTHALL and PAULINE STARKE

SPECIAL ADDED ATTRACTION

LARRY SEMON in "THE BELL HOP"

COMING SUNDAY

Five Acts of Vaudeville

Feature picture—"THE HUNCH", Starring GARETH HUGHES

COOPER'S Strand

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TODAY ONLY

ALICE LAKE in "THE HOLE IN THE WALL"

A picture where there is hardly standing room for all the laughs and thrills.

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BUSTER KEATON in "THE GOAT"

Also "The Miracles of the Jungles"

COMING SUNDAY

James Oliver Curwood's Super-feature "FLOWER OF THE NORTH" With Henry Walthall and Pauline Starke

THE "HUNCH"—RIVIERA

One of the gayest screen comedies ever produced is at the Riviera Sunday. A clean, crisp, clever concoction is "The Hunch," and it shows Gareth Hughes, who rose to stellar prominence in "Garments of Truth" and "Sentimental Tommy," in the merriest bit of characterization that he has contributed to motion pictures. As a young New York broker who is arrested and accused of his own murder, his winning personality is felt at its happiest. He is a decorative young man, is Hughes, and he acts with the technical perfection and instinct for just the right touch that justify Mrs. Fiske's characterization of him as one of those who are keeping the fires of genius rekindled in the theater.

FLOWER OF THE NORTH

A novel touch has been given to "Flower of the North," the James Oliver Curwood special production, which will be shown at the Riviera today. This touch is found in the prologue which shows the north country in the days of the French Chevalier, when knights fought for a fair lady's hand. This comes in decided contrast with the story itself, which deals with the north country at the present day.

All the scenic beauty of the northland, and an ideal cast of players make this picture one of the biggest Curwood productions to be presented to the American public.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Samuel Gompers, in an editorial, declared that Mexico is entitled to recognition as an act of justice.

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CHARLEY BAILY — A whole show in himself. Character Change Artist.

A SAXOPHONE QUARTETTE

FEATURE PICTURE

Gareth Hughes in "The Hunch"

COMEDY AND RIVIERA ORCHESTRA.

LATIN CLASSES HAVE VOCABULARY CONTEST HERE

A Latin vocabulary contest, between the second and eighth period classes, was held in the local high school under the supervision of Miss Wiegand, Latin teacher. The contest was held in the dressmaking room, and about forty pupils participated. When ten students were yet standing, "Polar Bears" were served. While these ten were being questioned, Louise Zielke, one of the best 8th period students, fell. This left those of the latter period at a great disadvantage. The fatal word then was, seek "Pelo." After this, there was intense excitement. One by one fell until three were left. Probably, because of excitement, not at all incapability, the winning trio fell on the word month, "mensis." The winners were Hatty Davidson, Martha Decors, and Olga Mahlum. It ended strangely but well enough.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—A referendum vote among members of the chamber of commerce of the United States upon the proposal that a cash bonus be given former service men resulted in a 72 per cent majority against the suggestion, it was announced.

La Crosse Theatre

TOMORROW—SUNDAY MATINEE AND NIGHT

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TRIANGULAR CONTEST AT NORMAL SCHOOL EVENT ON MONDAY

The annual triangular contest between the three literary societies of the Normal school will be held at the Normal auditorium on Monday evening, February 27th, at 7:30 o'clock. The public is invited to attend. No admission will be charged.

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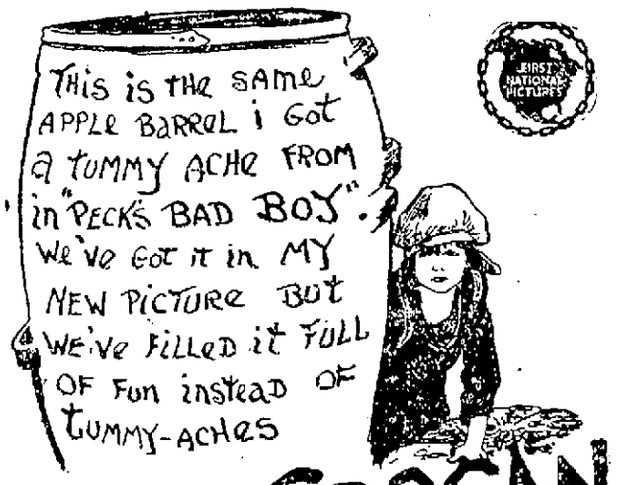

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HIGH SCHOOL LOSES FIGHT IN LAST HALF DEFEATED, 21 TO 20

Locals Maintained Lead by Score of 16 to 2 in Initial Period

In the La Crosse-Prairie du Chien high school game, won by the latter 21 to 20, on their home floor Friday evening, it was evidently another characteristic case of the La Crosse high school of losing their fight in the final period because of a marginal lead maintained during the first period.

The La Crosse quintet led at the first period by a score of 16 to 2, the locals holding the down river aggregation to only two free throws. Reports of the game from Prairie du Chien indicated that the Red and Black exhibited wonderful ball in that period but were literally swept off their feet by the swift comeback of the Prairie men throughout the last period.

Slightly injured in the first half, Harget was removed until the final period when he was again placed in the lineup. It was the lone shift in lineup of the La Crosse team. In explaining the defeat, Coach Keegan declared that the men simply lost their fight, occasioned no doubt, by the marginal lead in the first half.

Holley was mentioned as individual star for the locals. The Red and Black battle Richland Center tonight.

HOW THEY STAND

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Tribune	37	23	.617
Stamping and Tool	34	26	.567
Big Jo's	31	29	.517
Weavers	29	31	.483
Tax-Harts	17	13	.288
Auto Supply	17	16	.270

City League

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Hotel La Crosse	51	9	.850
Mader Clo. Co.	44	19	.698
Krause Clo. Co.	32	31	.508
Arenz Shoes	31	32	.492
Shirven Clo. Co.	28	35	.444
La Crosse Club "60"	27	36	.429
South Paws	24	36	.400

Elks League

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Dark Horses	49	11	.882
Rompers	41	21	.661
Wuzzers	42	21	.636
Buckhorns	42	24	.636
Pioneers	39	24	.619
Soft Spots	33	28	.541
Hustlers	31	27	.517
Maplenites	27	27	.500
Spares	30	33	.476
Knockouts	30	33	.476
Antlers	28	35	.444
Blowups	27	36	.429
Crowns	25	35	.417
Pickups	26	41	.394
Strikers	21	42	.333
Bedmakers	13	44	.228

Fraternal League

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
B. P. O. E.	13	9	.842
K. of P.	42	18	.700
Eagles	34	23	.596
F. C. C. S.	30	29	.517
B. O. K. K.	28	29	.491
Kiwanis	13	28	.206
Low Twelve	17	28	.283
Rotary	15	29	.275

K. of C. League

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Hennepins	42	12	.777
Balboas	38	15	.741
La Salles	35	19	.648
Commodore Barrys	29	25	.536
Marquettes	24	26	.444
De Kalbs	23	28	.429
Magellans	10	44	.185
De Sotos	8	46	.150

Individual Tournament for the Irvine Trophy

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
A. Miller	1	0	1.000
Geo. E. Schneeberger	11	3	.785
Ed. Frisch	7	3	.700
H. Wittenberg	6	4	.600
J. Williams	5	4	.571
R. Shirven	4	4	.571
E. Warninger	4	4	.571
Wm. Schaefer	5	5	.556
C. Myers	4	4	.500
J. Wiltinger	4	4	.500
Ed Horn	4	4	.500
Ed Erickson	1	1	.500
Geo. Rollrud	3	6	.455
A. Weigel	4	7	.444
A. Panke	2	4	.333
E. Hunt	1	2	.333
C. Ford	2	4	.300
E. Frenz	2	6	.250
C. Staddler	1	4	.200
A. Bruha	0	2	.000

CHURCH ATLHETIC LEAGUE BOWLING

The First Methodists won three games from the Congregationals in the church athletic league bowling at the La Crosse club alleys Friday evening. The Caledonia Street Methodists won two out of three from the Baptists, while the North Presbyterian and the West Avenue churches won three by forfeit from the First Presbyterians and English Lutherans. The scores:

FIRST METHODISTS			
Lyon	166	151	139
Soule	152	185	145
Bergstrom	146	190	172
Myers	181	156	155
Totals	682	682	681
CONGREGATIONAL			
Kinney	178	172	152
Coleman	161	151	143
Mienlokken	148	146	146
Callaway	114	151	137
Totals	551	620	578
BAPTIST			
Congdon	121	118	132
Stewart	147	158	201
Ryan	158	186	194
Scullin	169	137	204
Totals	595	597	731
CALEDONIA METHODISTS			
Clow	142	173	121
Olsen	210	124	174
Wilcox	200	205	265
Bice	126	141	117
Totals	678	643	639
FIRST PRESBYTERIAN			
Forfeit.			
NORTH PRESBYTERIAN			
	125	141	119
	99	119	125
	101	152	119
	79	99	98
Totals	402	511	458
WEST AVENUE			
Tabbert	165	141	121
Ralston	186	163	146
Baedre	115	150	155
Lewis	91	123	129
Totals	557	582	541
ENGLISH LUTHERAN			
Forfeit.			

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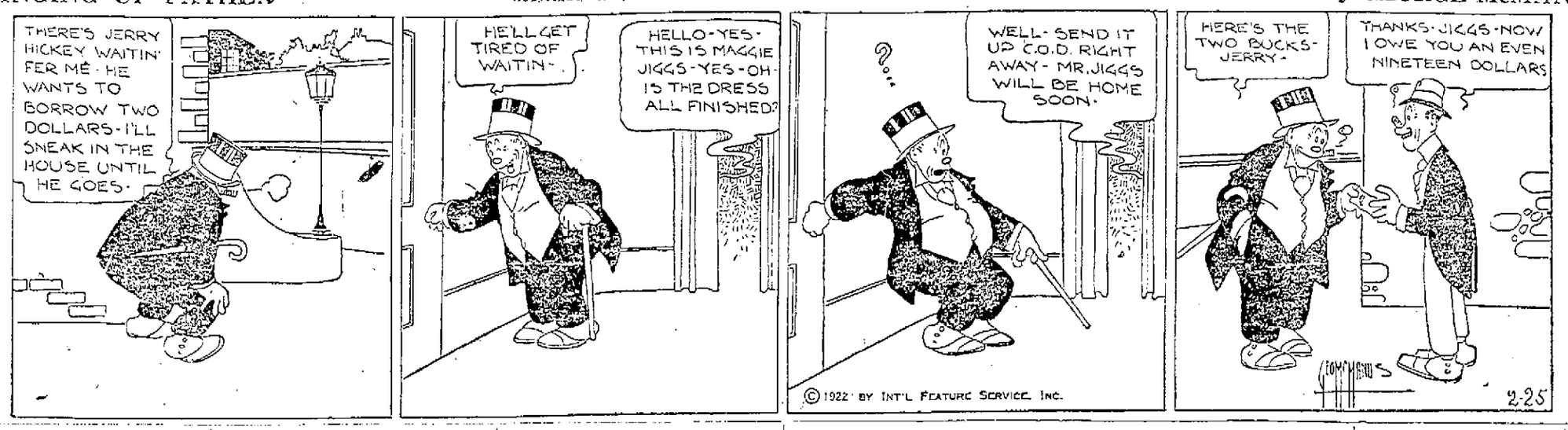

NATIONAL HEXATHLON CONTEST AT Y. M. C. A. GYMNASIUM MONDAY

Standing of the Business Men's Volley Ball League is Announced Saturday

Next Monday night the Senior National Hexathlon contests will be held in the "Y" gym during the first part of the regular class period. The events include the three lap potato race, the seven lap potato race, the fence vault, 12 pound shot put, the running high jump and the standing broad jump. These events are open to all the seniors. Prizes are awarded from the New York office for the high points made in these events. On Tuesday night the same events will be held for the Young men's class during their class period.

The standing of the Business men's volley ball league is as follows:

	W.	L.	Pct.
Reds	9	0	1000
Yanks	7	2	778
Giants	5	4	417
Pirates	2	7	222
Cubs	1	8	111

CITY BOWLING LEAGUE

In all but one instance, where the South Paws took two out of three from the La Crosse Club 60's, the games in the city bowling league were unanimous on Friday evening, the Maders, Hotel La Crosse and Krause Clothing company winning three straight from the Shirvens, Arenz Shoes and Wittenbergs. The scores:

MADERS

Weigel	174	201	180
Scherrer	167	151	180
G. Horn	185	203	216
Panke	151	151	179
Handicap	23	27	6
Totals	700	736	751

SHIRVEN CLO. CO.

Kohn	178	175	180
Nelson	165	161	126
Christopherson	167	197	117
Shirven	170	144	135
Handicap	19	24	63
Totals	699	701	645

HOTEL LA CROSSE

Schneeberger	196	174	155
Wittenberg	178	201	180
Paulson	197	172	149
Miller	216	207	256
Handicap	5	7	18
Totals	784	764	722

ARENZ SHOES

Deckendorff	177	171	212
Frisch	161	166	148
Erickson	157	151	184
Kolnaur	178	167	145
Handicap	22	26	32
Totals	695	681	712

KRAUSE CLO. CO.

Myers	202	194	206
Spoonick	227	182	165
Koblitz	176	177	171
Larson	163	177	148
Handicap	18	4	27
Totals	770	730	717

WITTENBERGS

Gibson	198	159	180
Oswciler	158	153	175
Burke	157	141	158
Low score	168	178	161
Handicap	22	42	12
Totals	701	671	686

LA CROSSE CLUB 60'S

Burns	177	219	159
Hunt	168	126	175
Miller	170	176	159
Low score	154	168	168
Handicap	12	22	22
Totals	681	709	683

SOUTH PAWS

Voight	184	154	176
Torrance	134	152	157
Ford	148	174	179
Rollrud	169	208	211
Handicap	11	30	17
Totals	676	718	760

TAKE ADJOURNMENT IN OBENCHAIN TRIAL

LOS ANGELES, Calif.—No session of the trial of Mrs. Madalynne O. Obenchain, for the murder of J. Belton Kennedy was held here Saturday adjournment until Monday having been taken Friday.

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Chicken Dinner Sampler Tea Room, 6 o'clock, Sunday.

Skat Tournament, Eagles Hall, Sunday afternoon, Feb. 26th at 2:30 p. m. All welcome.

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Mr. Olaf Bakkum, 343 south Twenty-second street, who had a serious operation about two weeks ago at the Grandview hospital is getting along nicely.

Sunday Special Brick, "White House Special," a solid brick of Vanilla imbedded with crushed cherries. At all dealers. Tri-State Ice Cream Corp.

Free: Quill pen with each box stationery at Boerner's Drug Store, corner 3rd and Main.

Traveling Bags are sold at the Jefferson Hotel at about half the usual prices.

Kewpie Doll Dance at Concordia hall Sat. Feb. 25. Given by Novelty Dancing Club. Music by Stoltzman's Society Players.

Big Chicken Dinner Sunday, 50c. Warren's Restaurant, 226 No. 2nd, Opp. Milwaukee depot.

Prof D. F. Staleup of Winona was a visitor at the La Crosse Normal school Friday.

Skat Tournament, Eagles Hall, Sunday afternoon, Feb. 26th at 2:30 p. m. All welcome.

Light Lunches. Elite and Iris.

Roller Skating at Kubat's hall tonight.

Osteopathy—Dr. Jorris, Newburg Bg.

Corporation and Individual income tax returns made, examined and checked. Absolute accuracy guaranteed. All returns made or checked by me protected. Office hours, 9 to 12 and 1 to 5. Evening appointments made. 411 Rivoli Bldg. Tel. 461 H. H. Hamilton.

Sergt. Arthur J. Johnson of the marine corps is home on a three months furlough, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Johnson, 414 North Sixteenth street. Sergeant Johnson, who has been in the marine corps fifteen years, came from Hampton Roads, Va.

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Last big dance before Lent. Rison's Steamer Capitol Orchestra will play at Concordia, Sun. Feb. 26. Dancing from 8:30 to 1:00.

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Miss Mary Wing visited Miss Betty Bosshard in Winona this week.

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Theodore Thompson left today for St. Paul to spend the week-end with relatives. Mrs. Thompson has been visiting in the Twin cities for a week.

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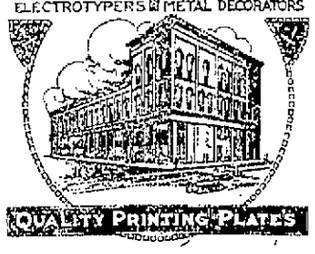

QUALITY PRINTING PLATES

CALLS ON TEACHERS OF STATE TO FILE RECORD OF SERVICE

Failure to Comply With Law Causing Delay In Payments Says Secretary

MADISON, Wis.—Teachers of the state are urged by B. E. Loveland, secretary of the teachers' insurance and retirement fund, to make out their affidavits of service and return them to Madison, in order to permit the state to complete its record.

Payment of state funds made against the teachers' fund is being withheld until record of service is definitely established. Failure of a large number of the teachers to comply with this provision of the law is causing delay and leaving the records incomplete.

Teachers who are included under the compulsory features of the law are those over 25 years of age who made contracts for the present year after July 7, 1921. Those who made their present contracts previous to that time are not compelled to make five per cent payments from their salary until the present contract they hold expires.

Mr. Loveland reports that provisions of the new statute are now familiar to most teachers of the state and that the machinery for its administration is rounded into shape and working smoothly. Thousands of dollars from salaries have already been received, invested and the money credited to the individual accounts of the teachers.

IN THE MORNING PAPERS

A Summary of the News

CAMBRIDGE, Mass. — Harvard biologists have succeeded in measuring with scientific precision the processes of life and death in plants, the university announced.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Secretary Weeks and General Pershing said the war department wants legislation that will enable it to re-distribute the officer personnel in the different grades of the army.

LONDON.—Members of the prince of Wales party were fired upon while motoring from Delhi to Pittiala, India, the London Times correspondent there reported.

ROME.—Deputy Facta conferred with heads of the various groups of the chamber of deputies in an attempt to form a new cabinet.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Roger N. Baldwin, director of the American Civil Liberties union, appealed to the department of labor in a letter to grant bail pending deportation to alien war law violators.

The Persons

Mason—Mrs. Speed is a "first and third" talker.

Hughes—Whatever is that?

Her conversation consists of "I said" and "she said."—Answers, London.

Heard in a Hall

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"The eyes of all the other women."—Boston Transcript.

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SCHEDULE OF CITY BOWLING TOURNEY

SATURDAY, FEB. 25TH AT 7 P. M.
Stamping and Tool Company.
Northern Engraving Company.
La Fortuna Cigar Company.
Hosely Cigar Store.
SATURDAY, FEB. 25TH AT 9 P. M.
K. of C. No. 2.
Wet Wash.
SATURDAY, FEB. 25TH AT 9 P. M.
Singles
Geo. Hackner, John Hackner, S. Spoonick, L. Meyers, J. Koblitz.
SUNDAY, FEB. 26TH
Doubles
A. Weigel and W. Scherrer, 2:30 p. m.
Ed Horn and Geo. Horn, 2:30 p. m.
O. Erickson and J. Kolnour, 2:30 p. m.
J. Wiltinger and J. Deckendorff, 2:30 p. m.
Singles
A. Weigel, W. Scherrer, Ed Horn, Geo. Horn, O Erickson, J. Kolnour, Ed Frisch, J. Wiltinger, J. Deckendorf, at 3:30 p. m.
MONDAY, FEB. 27TH AT 7 P. M.
K. of C. No. 1.
K. of C. No. 3.
Boyer-Furner Furniture Co.
Federal Bakery.
MONDAY, FEB. 27TH AT 9 P. M.
Swenson Hardware Store.
Hoffleman's New Styles.
Postoffice.
Rivoli Theater.
TUESDAY, FEB. 28TH AT 7 P. M.
Burns Fruit House.
Stavrum and Fraser.
Yerly Coal Company.
Nash "4's."
TUESDAY, FEB. 28TH AT 9 P. M.
Kratchwil Candy Co.
Bodegas.
South Paws.
Mitchell Six.
WEDNESDAY, MAR. 1 AT 7 P. M.
National Gauge.
Krause Clothing Co.
Shirven Clothing Co.
Studebaker Six.
WEDNESDAY, MAR. 1 AT 9 P. M.
Doubles
R. Shirven and W. Aldrich.
P. Christopherson and Nelson.
Geo. Kohn and R. Newburg.
S. Spoonick and L. Meyers.
WEDNESDAY, MAR. 1 AT 10 P. M.
Doubles
A. Spika and Ed Veneman.
C. Ford and A. Heinke.
Ed Erickson and Wm. Bonadurer.
John Hackner and Geo. Hackner.
THURSDAY, MAR. 2 AT 7 P. M.
Loeffler Company.
Leisenfeld Printing Co.
Montagues.
La Crosse Drug Company.
THURSDAY, MAR. 2 AT 9 P. M.
Mathews Manufacturing Co.
La Crosse Rubber Mills.
Gibson Polar Bears.
Metcalf Flower Shop.
FRIDAY, MAR. 3 AT 7 P. M.
Hotel La Crosse.
Arenz Shoes.
Mader Clothing Company.
Oakland Sixes.
FRIDAY, MAR. 3 AT 4 P. M.
Lotus Pin Setters.
State Bank.
Batavian Bank.
National Bank.
FRIDAY, MAR. 3 AT 9 P. M.
Doubles
Tietz and Taylor.
Johnson and McLeod.
Singles
C. Heinke, C. Ford, Ed Veneman, A. Spika.
FRIDAY, MAR. 3 AT 10 P. M.
Singles
E. Erickson, Wm. Bonadurer, Geo. Kohn, R Newburg.
SATURDAY, MAR. 4 AT 7 P. M.
Doubles
W. Shuda and A. Panke.
C. Formanek and A. Klawitter.
C. Staddler and partner.
Ed Frisch and partner.
SATURDAY, MAR. 4 AT 8 P. M.
Singles
W. Shuda, A. Panke, A. Klawitter, C. Staddler, C. Formanek, E. Hunt, Geo. Schneeberger, H. Wittenberg, John Williams, A. J. Miller.
SUNDAY, MAR. 5 AT 2:30 P. M.
Doubles
E. Hunt and Geo. Schneeberger.
H. Wittenberg and John Williams.
O. Paulson and A. J. Miller.

KONEY TO LEFT FIELD POSITION FOR TOLEDO A. A.

Eddie Konetchy, former star first baseman in the National league, a free agent following his departure from the major leagues, has signed to play left field for the Toledo club of the American Association, it became known here Friday.

LUTHER COLLEGE IS OPPONENT OF NORMAL TONIGHT

Coach Keeler's famous basketball quint at the local normal tonight will engage in the final unofficial game of the schedule when it meets the Luther college aggregation at the new gymnasium here at 8 o'clock.

With two men, Poscover and Stoneman, on the sick list at the local school, it is possible that Coach Keeler will have to re-arrange the lineup considerably for the contest tonight. In any event the locals are expected to win over the collegians.

Ivan Dosef, coach of La Crosse high school in 1909, will be here with the Luther quintet tonight.

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SPORT BRIEFS

CHICAGO.—The Western league will hold a meeting in Denver Monday to consider the positions of fans in that city that Denver be admitted to the league, it was announced.

NEW ORLEANS.—Rain prevented the Benny Leonard-Pal Moran bout.

NEW YORK.—Lew Tendler of Philadelphia, won a referee's decision over Hyman Gold of California.

GREAT LAKES, —Johnny Weismuller of the Illinois Athletic club broke the world's record for the 200-yard swim, free style. Time 2:17 4-5.

CHICAGO, Ill.—Jimmy Blouin of Chicago won the world's classic bowling tournament.

EXPECT ADDITIONAL UPSETS IN BIG TEN RACE ON SATURDAY

Eight Teams of the Western Conference Go Into Action Saturday Night

CHICAGO, Ill.—More upsets in the Big Ten conference basketball race are possible Saturday night, when eight teams go into action. The University of Illinois quintet, close on the heels of Purdue for the lead in the race, meets Michigan at Ann Arbor. Purdue entertains Indiana on the boilermakers' home floor where they have not been defeated this season and expects a victory. Minnesota, which has been on the head all week, will tackle Chicago here while Northwestern will play Ohio State. Northwestern has finally made a start and has won its last two games and its backers predict another victory although Ohio State threatens to put up a strong battle.

CANADIAN CITY IS IN RECEIVERSHIP ON BANK'S BILLS

REGINA, Sask.—The city of Swift Current, Sask, was placed in the hands of a receiver here Thursday by Mr. Justice Embury, of the court of kings bench, following a judgment given against the city in favor of the Canadian Bank of Commerce for $257,000 due on outstanding loans. David Seath, city treasurer of Swift Current, and the manager and accountant of the Canadian Bank of Commerce branch at Swift Current were appointed receiver and inspectors respectively.

JOHNNY BUFF TO MEET ROY MOORE IN EIGHT ROUNDS

NEW YORK. — Johnny Buff, world's bantamweight chapfion, has signed artiles to defend his title against Roy Moore of St. Paul, in an eight round bout in Jersey City the night of March 10. Buff recently returned from a trip overseas.

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vs.

LA CROSSE Normal

NORMAL GYM 8 P. M.

CHICAGO STARTLED BY EXPLOSION IN QUARRY NEAR CITY

Thirty Tons of Dynamite Let Go While Being Thawed Out

CHICAGO, Ill. Chicago and dozens of its suburbs Saturday found out just what caused the explosion which literally shook them to their foundations and caused a frenzy of excitement Friday night. Thirty tons of dynamite let go in a stone quarry southwest of the city shortly before nine o'clock and hundreds of thousands of alarmed residents went to bed not knowing just what had happened to give rumors and reports of bombing squads, an earthquake a falling meteor and disaster to some of the manufacturing plants.

Glass in thousands of windows was smashed.

In spite of the large area of land affected by the blast, only one man was seriously injured, although scores were cut by glass and shaken and bruised—some of them living miles from the scene of the blast. The injured man, was operating a crane some distance from the scene of the explosion and sustained a broken arm.

The McCook quarry of the Consumers' company about eleven miles from Chicago's down-town district, contained two powder magazines where dynamite was stored to thaw and dry out. In each magazine 600 cases were stored, each case containing fifty pounds of the explosive. The cause of the explosion probably will never be known.

WOMAN ARRESTED AND FINED FOR RUNNING HOUSE OF ILL FAME

Grace Lulu Kinder, 403 North Third street, was arraigned in police court Saturday morning and fined $52.50 when she pleaded guilty to a charge of running a house of ill fame at the Third street residence.

Edna Nevens, Wausau, and Vivien Gibson, 403 North Third street, pleading guilty to a charge of being inmates of the establishment, were each fined $10 and costs, amounting to $12.50.

Arrests in the case were made by police officers Friday night following a complaint made to Central station on Friday regarding the place. The women were held at Central station Friday night pending their arraignment in police court Saturday morning.

COUNTY SEEKS BIDS FOR MORE BATHTUBS AT THE COUNTY JAIL

They're going to make them take baths at the county jail oftener than usual.

On Saturday the building and grounds committee of the county board, John Ash, chairman, met to receive bids for three bathtubs at the jail. The awarding of the contract will be made later.

The state road and bridge committee on Friday afternoon after considering bids for road machinery, decided not to make any purchases at this time, the bids being considered too high. The committee will meet again on Feb. 28 to appoint patrolmen for the coming year.

FEDERAL EMPLOYE OWNS TO CHARGE OF BLACKMAILING

WASHINGTON—George E. Long, veteran clerk in the war department, and according to the police, confessed author of the blackmail letters demanding large sums of money recently received by Henry White, former ambassador to France, and several women prominent in Washington society, was ministering to the needs of a seriously ill wife and his three children at their home Saturday to which he was permitted to return several minutes after the alleged confession was drawn from him at police headquarters Friday. No complaint had been lodged against him for sending the letters.

REFUSE TO PAY INSURANCE ON CAR DAMAGED BY BULL

TOPEKA, Kan.—Fred Knudson, a farmer, has appealed to the state superintendent of insurance for aid in collecting collision insurance on his automobile. Knudson in his complaint states that he painted his automobile red, that a bull at a public sale at Orio, Kan., attacked it and that the insurance company refused to even consider his claim.

GOOD SAMARITANS SOUGHT BY POLICE

NEW YORK.—Police are seeking "Good Samaritans" who assisted two New York business men who were robbed of gems and currency amounting to more than $150,000 when they fell unconscious in fainting spells.

Leo Schirman, Manhattan diamond importer, fainted in the Times Square subway. When he awakened in Bellevue hospital sometime later, he announced he had been robbed of diamonds which he said were worth $75,000.

The name of the second victim has not been made known. He lost $78,000.

Obituary

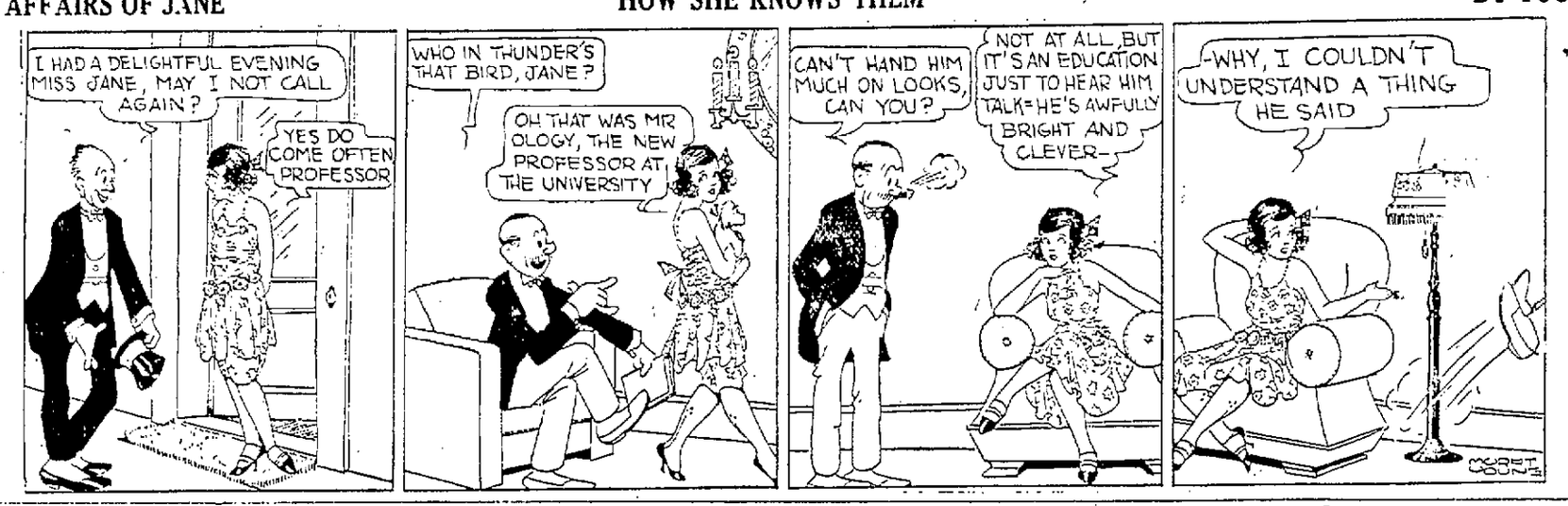
MRS. FRANK HALIK

Mrs. Frank Halik, sister of Mrs. John J. Ott, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Max Rasen, at Portland, Ore., Friday, February 24. Burial will be at Portland, Oregon.

FRECKLES — HOW TAG FIGURES THE SITUATION — BY BLOSSER

THE DUFFS — IT MAKES A NICE COAT FOR TOM — BY ALLMAN

THE AFFAIRS OF JANE — HOW SHE KNOWS THEM — BY YOUNG



GUMMER IS FOUND GUILTY OF MURDER OF GIRL AT FARGO

Room-mate of Hotel Clerk is Arrested in Connection With the Same Crime

VALLEY CITY, N. D.—After the conviction at 12:40 a. m. Saturday of William Gummer on the charge of murder in the first degree in connection with the slaying of Miss Marie Wick at Fargo, N. D., on June 7 last, Andy Brown, Gummer's room-mate, was arrested on a charge of first degree murder in connection with the same crime.

Gummer, declared guilty by the jury that was out from 5:20 Friday afternoon to 12:40, will be sentenced by Judge Charles M. Cooley to life imprisonment in the state penitentiary, that being the maximum penalty imposed in this state.

Judge Cooley, thanking the jury for its service, congratulated the members on returning what he termed a "righteous verdict."

Brown, held as a witness since September 24 last, who was in the Fargo hotel, of which Gummer was night clerk when Miss Wick of Grygla, Minn., was choked, gagged, tied to a bed, assaulted and afterwards beaten to death with a fire hose nozzle, was taken to Fargo early Saturday and placed in the Cass county jail.

Gumaier showed absolutely no emotion as the verdict was read by Judge Cooley, and he left the court room with a smile on his face.

Twenty minutes later, Sheriff Larson of Barnes county, said the convicted man was asleep.

Neither of Gumaier's parents were in the court room when the verdict that condemned their son to life imprisonment was reported. They had attended all sessions of the trial.

It is understood the jury voted first guilty, on unanimous ballot, resulting. The second ballot was on the degree and the result was again unanimously first degree. A third ballot of "clincher" was taken and less than an hour after the jury retired, the result had been established.

The jury, however, remained out until 12:30 a. m. before advising bailiffs it was ready to report. Ten minutes later the verdict was read in court.

Judge Cooley refused to grant a motion by counsel for the defense for a stay of sentence pending appeal, allowing only the statutory period of two days.

Revision Downward

"I could sit here and talk to you forever, Geraldine."

"I hear father stirring about upstairs, Augustus. You'd better cut the time down to five minutes."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

One hundred for 25 words of five letters each was the rate on the first Trans-Atlantic cable.

Every girl likes outdoor sports—if they are handsome.

GRIFFITH CONFERS WITH GOVERNMENT AGENTS IN LONDON

LONDON.— By The Associated Press.—Arthur Griffith and other prominent members of the South Ireland provisional government, were here Saturday to discuss with the cabinet the recent agreement reached by the Sinn Fein national convention in Dublin to postpone for three months the election of a parliament for the Irish Free state. It has been arranged that the delegates shall confer first with Winston Spencer Churchill, secretary for colonies, and they may possibly not see Prime Minister Lloyd George.

STREET RAILWAY IS UNDER PRACTICALLY NORMAL CONDITIONS

Service Still Obstructed on East Main Street and Myrick Park Line

WITH the Edison and Steam plants furnishing power, Superintendent C. L. Hodges, of the Wisconsin railway light and power company, Saturday morning reported that the local utility is again operating under practically normal conditions following the severe storm which demoralized car service in the city for two days.

With the exception of the Onalaska line, on which regular trips have been made since around 10 o'clock Friday, the entire system was back on schedule time at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon, Mr. Hodges said, just when the utility will again be taken over by the high line could not be announced at this time.

Owing to high water and subsequent freeze up on Thursday, south side cars are not operating east of Eighteenth street on Main, or beyond Seventeenth street on the Myrick park line at the present time, Mr. Hodges announced. Large crews of workmen are being employed in opening the tracks in these sections and it was thought that unobstructed service over the entire system would be in order within a short time.

NEXT WEEK'S WEATHER

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Weather predictions for the week beginning Monday are:

Region of the Great Lakes, temperature below normal, considerable cloudiness, local snows.

Upper Mississippi and Lower Missouri valleys, temperature below normal; snow or rain over south portion at beginning of the week; rain or snow also probable Thursday or Friday.

Order out of Order

Maid — "Madam, our telephone doesn't work."

Mistress (impatiently)—"Ring Information and ask why."

ARMY BOARD MAKING FORMAL PROBE INTO DISASTER TO ROMA

Inquiry is in Nature of Coroner's Inquest With Doctors Testifying

NORFOLK, Va.—Formal inquiry by an army investigating board into the causes and circumstances surrounding the Roma disaster Tuesday in which 34 men lost their lives, was begun at headquarters of the army supply base here Saturday. Preliminary investigations have been made both by Langley field officers and officers especially detailed by the war department, and report on these will be submitted to the board.

The inquiry is in the nature of a coroner's inquest and it is the intention of the board, acting under instructions from the war department to bring out every feature of the crash before the report is made.

Captain G. B. West, medical officer, described the nature of the burns suffered by each victim. It was understood other medical officers would testify that the great majority met death from burns, some having been asphyxiated and others being crushed to death by the steel girders and supports.

TREMPEALEAU MAN PARDONED SO HE CAN PAY ALIMONY

MADISON, Wis.—Conditional pardon was granted E. C. Hess of Trempealeau county serving three years for a statutory offense, by Gov. J. J. Blaine today. Freedom was given the prisoner so that he might go to work to meet alimony payments due his wife who has secured a divorce from him, and is at present unable to support her two children.

Hess owns a farm which is heavily mortgaged and depreciating rapidly in value. Governor Blaine says in granting the conditional pardon that unless the man is permitted to start working his former wife and children will suffer. He has already served nearly one year in jail.

LA CROSSE WINS FROM EAU CLAIRE IN HIGH DEBATE

The La Crosse high school affirmative team won from the Eau Claire negative team in the debate at the local school Friday night. La Crosse debaters, who acquitted themselves admirably, were Donald Peterson, Edward Haddad and P. Leinfelder.

The other Eau Claire team, delayed by a late train, did not arrive until 9:30, and the debate with the La Crosse team will be held this afternoon.

LA FOLLETTE STAYS OVER TO DISCUSS THE STATE TICKET

MADISON, Wis.—Although Gov. Blaine has left the city, Senator La Follette expects to remain in Madison until Sunday evening and possibly until Monday for a conference with his political followers. One of the main problems which is being worked out is the state ticket. The announcement of Secretary of State Elmer S. Hall, Green Bay, that he would be a candidate for congress in the ninth district has necessitated a shifting of the program. While no announcement is made it is said that some Milwaukee man will be selected as a candidate for secretary of state. Solomon Levitan, Madison, is likely to be the candidate for treasurer and Senator H. J. Severson, Iola, is being urged to run for attorney general. It will probably be a week or ten days before the state ticket will be agreed upon.

MINNESOTANS MUST APPLY IMMEDIATELY FOR AUTO LICENSES

ST. PAUL, Minn.—Approximately 100,000 motor vehicle owners of Minnesota must make applications for motor vehicle licenses by Tuesday night in order to avoid payment of the penalty of 25 cents a day, which will attach March 1, Mike Holm, secretary of state, said Saturday.

In the past six days, $916,807.04 has been turned over to State Treasurer Henry Rines in payment of license fees. In all, approximately $3,500,000 has been collected in license fees in 1922.

No extension of the penalty date will be made, Mr. Holm said.

F. M. MINSHALL TO HEAD VERNON COUNTY FAIR BODY

VIROQUA, Wis.—At the annual meeting of the Vernon County Fair association the following officers were elected:

President—F. M. Minshall.

First vice president—W. F. Lindemann.

Second vice president—Selmer Neprud.

Third vice president—George B. Fisher.

Secretary—William Garett.

Treasurer—L. U. Favor.

The executive committee is composed of O. L. Buchanan, R. H. Nustad, Joseph Bobst, C. W. Moore and A. J. Beat.

The association has just received the state aid it now has all debts paid with the sum of $1,591.28 to the good. Two thousand dollars was spent in improvements on the fair grounds. Following is the report of the last fair:

Receipts—From state, $2,666.40; membership, $22.00; gate receipts, $6,726.40; grandstand, $602.40; entries, $241.50; other sources, $3,784.71. Total, $14,153.08.

Disbursements—Premiums paid, $3,445.40; races and ball games, $2,798; fair expenses, $733.75; secretary's office, $823; improvements, $1,912.80; other purposes, $4,816.54. Total, $14,029.09.

The good die young: so do good resolutions.

WISCONSIN GOVERNOR SCORES GROWING U. S. CONTROL OF MILITIA

States Losing Powers in Dealing With Guard Units Declares Blaine

MADISON, Wis.—Growing control by federal government of the state national guard units is criticised by Governor J. J. Blaine in a statement issued Saturday on his departure with Adjutant General Holway for the National Guard association meeting to be held February 27 at New Orleans.

The deliberations and conclusions of this meeting, the governor said, "will have important bearing on the future status and control of the guard in determining whether and to what extent, if any, this control which has heretofore been exercised by state governors as commanders-in-chief, shall be turned over to the war department."

"Under act of congress," Governor Blaine continued, "the war department is attempting to exercise a greater control over the state militia, and is gradually assuming greater power and the states are gradually losing their power.

"We believe that in the interests of economy and in the protection of the essential powers the state should exercise, it is necessary to attract the attention of congress to the dangers that confront us, if the war department assumes powers never intended to have been granted under our system of government."

"Undoubtedly public opinion is in favor of limited armaments, congress having reduced the regular army, the war department immediately turns its attention in an effort to control the state militia.

"The coming convention of the National guard association of the United States at New Orleans is attracting the attention of states on account of the importance of these matters."

FORTY-ONE YEARS AT COLLEGE

William Cullen Bryant Culp has entered into his forty-first year at Columbia college in New York. He has taken nearly all the courses offered by the institution and his only concern is that in the course of a few years there will be nothing left for him to take and he will have to leave college. A number of degrees have been awarded to him, and the other students have dubbed him the degree of "Doctor of Perpetual Motion" because he keeps on coming around year after year. The why of it is that when he started at college a rich uncle agreed that he should receive an annuity as long as he went to school and William has been going to school ever since and drawing the annuity.

A phaeton once owned by Queen Lilioukaiani of Hawaii, sold at auction recently for $5.

LIQUOR EXHIBIT IN KRIESE CASE GIVEN TO JURY BY REID

District Attorney Mentioned Fact Jury Might Have Exhibit Twice in Argument

Interest, excitement or mystery over the bottle of liquor and rinsing water taken at the Carl Kriese saloon during an inspection by state deputy prohibition commissioners introduced as an exhibit at the trials of Peter Toma, bartender, and Carl Kriese, proprietor, and taken into the jury room by the jurors in the Kriese case continued to hold the boards Saturday morning.

Mrs. Martha Bosshard, circuit court bailiff, denied that she took the bottle to the jury room as was reported.

Miss Bertha Hickisch, forelady of the jury, said the district attorney gave the jury the bottle, telling the jurors to pour some of the contents on their hands, to rub it and then smell it.

District Attorney Reid said that during the course of his address to the jury he mentioned the fact twice that the jury might take the evidence and examine it by smelling of its contents but to go no further. After the arguments Mr. Reid placed the bottle on the top of the partition around the jury box and he said that a male member of the jury took it to the jury room.

All that Judge Fowler knows of the incident was when he saw Miss Hickisch enter the room at the head of the jury, with the verdict in one hand and the bottle of liquor and water in the other. It was then that the court informed the district attorney that the exhibit should not have been allowed in the jury room.

HAMMOND BROTHERS ARE HELD FOR TRIAL IN CIRCUIT COURT

William and Charles J. Hammond were held under $700 bail each for circuit court by County Judge Brindley on Friday afternoon on charges of manufacturing and selling liquor and with having in their possession stills, mash and liquor. The case was adjourned a week ago until Friday to permit the introduction of additional papers. When the case was called the court was informed the defense had nothing new it desired to introduce in the trial so Judge Brindley bound both defendants over to the higher court. The same bail that was furnished for their appearance in the lower court was accepted for their appearance in circuit court.

TWO DAYS LEFT TO PAY TAXES AT CITY HALL

Only two days remain in which to pay taxes.

The city treasurer's office will remain open during the noon hour Monday and Tuesday, to accommodate workers who cannot call at the office to pay their taxes at any other time.

Persons who desire to embrace the time payment plan may pay one-half of their taxes by Tuesday night and the balance may be paid any time within 90 days with interest on the deferred payments figured at the rate of 5 per cent per annum. Persons who fail to pay at least one-half of their taxes by Tuesday will be penalized three per cent.

TORRANCE DELEGATE TO RIVERS-HARBORS MEETING AT CAPITAL

MADISON, Wis.—Three additional delegates were named by Governor Blaine Saturday to attend the National Rivers and Harbors Congress at Washington, D. C. March 1 and 2. They are F. M. Dupke, Beloit; William Porrance, La Crosse and Carl B. Jackson, chairman of the railroad commission, Madison.

Eighteen delegates were named last week by the governor.

HARDING FAVORS NAVY STRENGTH OF EIGHTY THOUSAND

WASHINGTON—President Harding is understood to have told republican members of the house naval committee at a white house conference Saturday that while he felt some reduction should be made in the navy personnel the total number of enlisted men ought not to be cut under 80,000.

ROAD ASKS EXTENSION OF NOTE TO GOVERNMENT

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad asked the interstate commerce commission Saturday to extend for ten years a $10,000,000 note held against it by the government, which falls due January 1, 1923.

MILL CITY LAWYER TO GET PLACE ON BENCH

ST. PAUL, Minn.—George W. Buffington, Minneapolis attorney, will be appointed to succeed the late Judge C. S. Jelley, who died in Boston Friday, Governor J. O. Preus announced Saturday.

TRAVELERS' BALL TONIGHT

The annual ball of the La Crosse council, United Commercial Travelers, will be held at Elks hall tonight. This is the big yearly social event of the travelers and a large attendance is expected.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all the friends, relatives and neighbors who so kindly assisted us during our recent bereavements, the death of our beloved mother. Especially do we thank Rev. Rumbarger, the J. C. D. lodge, the pallbearers and those who sent floral offerings.

Mrs. Rudolf Bantle and family. Mrs. Wm. Wojahn and family.

WANT ADS

Classified WANT AD RATES

Under any classification 1½ cents per word for each insertion. No single insertion for less than twenty-five cents.

A MONTHLY RATE of $1.50 per line per month is made on standing ads. Nothing less than three lines accepted and pay this rate.

All orders to discontinue advertisements must be made in writing or by personal call at the office. The Tribune and Leader-Press will not be responsible for telephone cancellations.

The Tribune and Leader-Press will not be responsible for more than the first incorrect insertion of any advertisement ordered for more than one time.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS for the Sunday Tribune and Leader-Press will be accepted for classification up to 8 o'clock Saturday night.

FRATERNAL NOTICES

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Meeting Monday, February 27th

Address to members by Hon. Roy P. Wilcox.

WANTED—MALE HELP

HIGH SCHOOL graduate wanted for work in drafting room. Should have finished three or four year course in drawing and be a neat letterer. Splendid opportunity for working into sales organization at later date. Apply by letter only to Postoffice Box 822, La Crosse, Wis. 2 23 Thu Sat

Boys, 12 years or over, for carrier routes. Apply The La Crosse Tribune and Leader-Press office.

YOUNG MEN, over 17, desiring government positions, $120 monthly, write for free list of positions now open, R. Terry, (former Civil Service examiner), 623 Continental Bldg., Washington, D. C. 2 25 26

MEN—Learn barbering. A trade not affected by strikes. Big money to year round. Jobs waiting. Write Moler Barber College, 512 E. Water, Milwaukee. 2 26 3 1

WANTED—Two neat appearing young men to sell new patented article direct to consumer. Every man, woman and child wants it. Apply at 321 Jay street. 2 24 26

EARN $25 weekly, spare time, writing for newspapers, magazines. Experience unnecessary. Details free. Press Syndicate, 650 Times Bldg., St. Louis, Mo. 2 4 Sat 2 25

WANTED—FEMALE HELP

WANTED—Competent maid for general housework. One who can go home nights. Phone 617-M. 2 22 26

WANTED—Girls from 18 to 25 years for assembling work. National Gauge and Equipment Co., north side. 1 21 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Mrs. A. J. Wath, 218 Cottage St., Sparta, Wisconsin. 2 21 27

15 GIRLS between ages of 17-23 for grading buttons. Wis. Pearl Button Co. 2 22 28

WANTED—Cook. American House. 2 20 26

GIRL WANTED—Stoddard Hotel. 2 22 tf

SALESMEN WANTED

WANTED—By Loose-Wiles Biscuit Company, 2650 South Ashland Ave., Chicago, Ill., experienced salesman familiar with retail grocery trade in the vicinity of Baraboo, Elroy and Sparta. Only those who can qualify for bond and show good sales record need apply. Give full details first letter. Married man preferred. L. W. B., Tribune. 2 25 26

Help Wanted—Male and Female

STEADY POSITION

For man or woman to sell our Remedies, Extracts, Toilet and Pure Food Products in your city. New department just opened by old established manufacturers. No experience necessary. We supply all capital. Write today.

THE LANGE CO.
Box 99, Delere, Wis.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE—22-room residence divided into 16 apartments. Gross income of $4,509 per year. Elegant proposition for anyone wishing to retire from active work. $9,000 will handle this. Address Apartment House, care Tribune. 1 31 3 2

FOR SALE—Choice lot, S. W. corner Main and 19th, 50x101. Cheap. Address H. L. Taylor, Majestic Bldg. 2 25 25

FOR SALE—Two modern houses on 321 Caledonia St. Rent income $40 per month. 315 Rose. 1 31 1mo

FOR SALE—Nine room strictly modern house. Call at 1110 West Avenue South. 2 25 26

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Beautiful high grade piano. Satin finish, mahogany case. Terms to right party. Call 2106 Mormon Coulee Road. 2 25 26

FOR SALE—Domestic sewing machine in fine condition. Call 3204J Monday and Tuesday forenoons. 2 2 28

FOR SALE—One cow, three heifers, horse, harness. Inquire 119 So. 3rd. Phone 872-M 2 22 28

FOR FRANKLIN county's best 6x8 or lump call Tennessee Fuel Co. Phone 319. 11 21 tf

COMPLETE set of Edison batteries for home lighting plant. Cheap. Nash Auto Co. 2 18 tf

DRAFT HORSES and farm mares for sale. Phone 2261-A. A. P. Clark, 527 King. 2 21 1mo

WHITE OAK barrels for sale. Phone 1088-A or 526 R. 710-712 Mississippi St. 2 19 25

PORTABLE Remington typewriter for sale. Phone 1102 R from 6 to 9 p. m. 2 21 27

FOR SALE—Hay. Loose or baled. Wagon or car load. H. S. Burroughs. 2 13 1mo

CHEAP—Steel cans, just the thing for ashes. John Gund Brewing Co. 2 25 26

FOR POCAHANTAS Lump or egg call Tennessee Fuel Co. Phone 319. 11 24 tf

FOR SHRUBS or fruit trees grown in this state. Phone 1658-M. 2 10 25

FOR SALE—Dry, hard cord wood. Phone 2231-C. 2 10 3 10

FOR SALE—Boiler and bicycle. 612 Adams. 2 25 26

STOCKING knitter for sale. 1526 Ferry. 2 21 25

FURNITURE FOR SALE—611 Division. 2 19 25

FOR SALE—FARMS

40 ACRES, rich soil, new house, two miles town, price $700, $100 cash. Tom O. Mason, owner, Shell Lake, Wis. 2 25 3 3

FOR RENT—ROOMS

FOR RENT—Well furnished room in exclusive residential district. Salesman or office man preferred. Call 997-A. 2 21 26

NEATLY WELL furnished housekeeping 2-room suites, and single. Also sleeping rooms. 316 Pine. 2 21 27

NICELY furnished modern city heated light housekeeping rooms. Laundry privileges. 119 Cass. 2 24 26

FOR RENT—Modern unfurnished housekeeping rooms. 1206 Johnson St. 2 24 26

FOR RENT—Two light housekeeping rooms. City heated. 417 State. 2 19 25

FURNISHED light housekeeping rooms. 406 No. 4th. 2585-M. 2 23 26

FURNISHED rooms with or without board. 217 No. 7th. 854-C. 2 25 27

FOR RENT—Four unfurnished front rooms, upstairs. 1221 W. Ave. S. 2 25 26

FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping. 234 So. 6th. 2 25 27

FOR RENT—City heated furnished rooms. 108 No. 6th. 2 25 26

LIGHT housekeeping rooms. City heat. Over Tribune. 2 22 29

CITY HEATED front room. 2019-R. Call after 6 p. m. 2 25 26

CITY HEATED furnished room. 226 So. 5th. 2 25 27

THREE modern rooms. 425 No. 6th. 2 25 27

For Rent—Houses and Flats

NEW MODERN 4 and 5-room pleasant apartments. Built-in features, sleeping porches, nice bath and laundry. Hot water furnished. Call 822 Rose St. 2 20 3 5

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms and kitchenette on ground floor. Young couple preferred. References required. Call before 8 a. m. 511-A. 2 21 tf

FOR RENT—10-room house, modern. Suitable for two families. Garage. 1021 State St. Phone 2361-A. 2 25 26

FOR RENT—All modern house, 23rd and King. Inquire 624 So. 9th. Phone 603-A. 2 19 25

THREE-ROOM flat, $10 per month, 119 Pearl. Inquire L. Nathensohn Co., 115 Pearl. 2 15 25

FOR RENT—A six-room house, strictly modern. 1846 Madison. Phone 2709-M. 2 21 3 2

EIGHT-ROOM modern house at 127 Mill St. Call at 113 Main. 2 25 26

SMALL MODERN flat at 1105 Caledonia St. Adults. 2 25 27

UNFURNISHED modern 5-room flat, 221 State. 2 21 26

AUTOMOBILES

AUTO RADIATORS—Frozen or leaky. Why not have them repaired the right way? Rebuilt—recored. All work guaranteed. Badger Auto Radiator Works, 118 Pearl. Phone 288. 2 15 1mo

RADIATORS—All makes repaired, recored, rebuilt the right way. Repairing done while you wait. Work guaranteed. La Crosse Auto Radiator Service, 108 So. Second St. Phone 313. 3 8 tf

JUST INSTALLED a new automobile cylinder grinding machine. Let us quote you our latest prices. Starch Bros. Co. 2 13 25

TWO BIG BARGAINS PRICED FOR QUICK SALES.

5-pass. Maxwell, good for fishing and hunting and all around use. Price $65.00.

5-pass. Studebaker, good paint, runs fine. Electric lights and starter. A nice family car. Only $250.

Now is the time to buy good used cars at half price. Come in. See them.

ELSEN & PHILIPS
Second and State Sts.

CADILLAC "8," Reo "6" touring, Oakland sedan. Excellent condition. Other good bargains. Nash Auto Co. 2 18 tf

AUTO TOPS—Of dependable fabrics. Recovering and repairing. Skok Auto Top Shop, 108 Main. 1173-R. 2 5 1mo

FORD TOURING car for sale. Reasonable. 306 Rose. 2 25 26

SITUATION WANTED—MALE

MARRIED couple with one child wants to work on farm or work farm for cash pay. Address E. A. E., care Tribune. 2 25 25

WANTED—Position as janitor, elevator man or any work. Telephone 2018-A. 2 25 27

POULTRY AND PETS

WHITE Leghorn cockerels, Dan Young strain. Very nice birds. 1665-C. 2 24 26

LOST AND FOUND

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN—Brown Chesapeake water spaniel. Answers to name of Flip. Any information phone 1779-R. Reward. 2 24 25

LOST—Shelled rim glasses near 22nd and Cass or on Main. Return to Telephone office. 2 24 25

LOST—Black silk tricolette scarf with fringe. Call 913 for reward 2 23 25

LOST—Large shell comb set with brilliants. Reward. Call 1773-A. 2 24 26

LOST—Bottom part of gold Eversharp. Call 2195-C. Reward. 2 25 26

WANT TO BUY

WE BUY GOOD OAK LUMBER.
SEGELKE AND KOHLHAUS MFG. CO.
La Crosse, Wis.

WANTED TO BUY—Used clothing in good condition. Will pay reasonable cash price. Phone 1580-R. 2 18 3 21

WANTED TO BUY—Second hand runabout. Must be cheap and in good condition. Phone 2643-R. 2 24 25

WANTED TO BUY—Rowboat. Reasonable. 2596-C. 2 25 3 3

SEWING MACHINES

SHUTTLES and repairs for all makes of machines on hand. Repairing done promptly. H. Kathary, 1003 So. 4th St. 2275-M. 12 27 3mo

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY TO LOAN
ON REAL ESTATE
LOWEST RATE OF INTEREST
FRIES-NIEBUHR AGENCY
ROOMS 309-12
NEWBURG BUILDING

WANTED—$1,500.00 on city property. B., Tribune. 2 25 27

CUT RATE SHIPPING

CUT FREIGHT RATES on household goods, North, South, East and West. For particulars write Boyd Transfer & Storage Company, Minneapolis. 11 8 tf

MISCELLANEOUS

FOR REMODELING, building. Carpenter work of all kinds. First class workmanship at the right price see J. J. Roellich, 506 N. 11th. Phone 840-C. 2 8 1mo

$10.00 PER MONTH on a $100.00 purchase starts you housekeeping. Boyer-Surber Furniture Company. 1 1 18 tf

RAG RUG and carpet weaving. 15 Crosse Hammock Works. Sat-Sun Mon tf

WANTED—Plain dressmaking at home. 651 State. 1253-A. 2 21 27

COLLECTIONS

CLAIMS collected on percentage or bought outright. Auto and other accidents adjusted. Commercial Service Bureau, 314 Newburg Bldg. 2 16 tf

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

The Wisconsin Highway Commission will require 390 new complete signs and 225 repainted signs for use in marking and signing the State Trunk Highway System during the season of 1922 in the counties comprising Division Number 5, the Division Office being located at La Crosse, Wisconsin.

Copies of the contract and specifications may be obtained upon request from the Wisconsin Highway Commission, Madison, or La Crosse, Wis.

Sealed bids will be received at the office of the Wisconsin Highway Commission at La Crosse, Wisconsin, up to 2:00 p. m., Wednesday, March 1, 1922, at which time they will be opened and read. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids and to waive minor defects that do not confuse the intent of the bid.

WISCONSIN HIGHWAY COMMISSION.

Notice For Administration and Notice to Creditors

State of Wisconsin, County Court, La Crosse County—In Probate.

In Re Estate of M. Kratchwil, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, That at the special term of said Court to be held at Court House, City of La Crosse, on the third Tuesday, being the 20th day of June, A. D. 1922, there will be heard, considered and adjusted, all claims against said M. Kratchwil, deceased.

And notice is hereby further given, That all such claims for examination and allowance must be presented to said County Court at the Court House in the City of La Crosse, in said county and state, on or before the 17th day of June, A. D. 1922, or be barred.

Dated February 17, 1922.

By the Court,
JOHN BRINDLEY, Judge.

F. H. WITHROW,
Attorney.

Notice for Administration and Notice to Creditors

State of Wisconsin, County Court, La Crosse County—In Probate.

In Re estate of August Ender, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that at the special term of said court to be held on the second Tuesday (being the 14th day) of March, A. D. 1922, at the court house in the city of La Crosse, county of La Crosse, and state of Wisconsin, there will be heard and considered the application of Anna Ender for the appointment of an administrator of the estate of August Ender, late of the Town of Campbell, in said county, deceased;

Notice is hereby further given, that at the special term of said court to be held at said court house on the third Tuesday, (being the 20th day) of June A. D. 1922, there will be heard, considered and adjusted, all claims against said August Ender, deceased;

And notice is hereby further given, that all such claims for examination and allowance must be presented to said county court at the court house, in the city of La Crosse, in said county and state, on or before the 15th day of June, A. D. 1922, or be barred.

Dated February 16th, 1922.

By the Court,
JOHN BRINDLEY, County Judge.

MAHONEY AND SCHUBERT,
Petitioner's Attorneys.

Notice of Application to County Court

State of Wisconsin, County Court, La Crosse County, ss.—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the county court, to be held in and for said county, at the court house, in the city of La Crosse, in said county, on the second Tuesday, being the 14th day of March, A. D. 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of E. L. Geary, administrator of the estate of C. L. Geary, late of the city of La Crosse, in said county of La Crosse, deceased, for the adjustment, settlement and allowance of his final account as such administrator and for the assignment of the residue of the estate of said deceased to such persons as are entitled to the same.

Dated February 18, 1922.

By order of the Court,
JOHN BRINDLEY, County Judge.

Summons

State of Wisconsin, In Circuit Court—For La Crosse County.
Olgo Oberg, Plaintiff,
—vs.—
Victor Oberg, Defendant.

The State of Wisconsin to the said Defendant:

You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and defend the above entitled action in the court aforesaid; and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint, of which a copy is herewith served upon you.

WINTER, MORRIS, ESCH & HOLMES,
Plaintiff Attorneys.
P. O. Address: Linker Block, La Crosse, La Crosse County, Wisconsin.

Summons

State of Wisconsin, In Circuit Court—La Crosse County.
Roman A. Krueger, Plaintiff,
—vs.—
Grace M. Krueger, Defendant.

The State of Wisconsin to the said Defendant:

You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and defend the above entitled action in the Court aforesaid; and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demands of the complaint of which a copy is herewith served upon you.

FRED H. HARTWELL,
Plaintiff's Attorney.
P. O. Address: La Crosse, La Crosse County, Wisconsin.

HONOR PRESIDENTS IN EXERCISES AT THE COURT HOUSE

Memorial exercises in honor of Presidents Washington and Lincoln were held Wednesday night in the soldiers room at the court house under the auspices of M. C. Casberg camp No. 11, United Spanish War Veterans. An interesting program was enjoyed by a large audience including both members and visitors. The program follows:

Song, "America"—Audience.

Patriotic talk by Comrade E. C. Everinghim.

Violin Solo—John D. Ward.

Recitation by Miss Dolly Arcott.

Song by Mrs. Spafford.

Piano Duet—Miss Engelhardt, Miss Zemecke.

Recitation by Miss Katherine McCauley.

Violin Solo, Mr. Sill Accompaniment by Miss Weigle.

Recitation by Miss Rumsey.

Explanation of the Selk Bill, Widows and Orphans Pension, by Past Commander Thos. H. Bailey.

Song, Star Spangled Banner—Audience.

O Thank you all by the present Commander.

POTATOES

CHICAGO, Ill.—Potatoes—Firm; receipts 30 cars; total United States shipments, 252; Wisconsin sacked round whites, $1.80 to $2.00 cwt.; Wisconsin bulk round whites, $2.00 to $2.10 cwt.; Minnesota sacked round whites, $1.75 to $1.85 cwt.; Idaho sacked rurals, $2.00 to $2.10 cwt.; Colorado sacked Brown Beauties, $2.10 cwt.

MINNEAPOLIS FLOUR

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn.—Flour unchanged. Shipments, 50,789 barrels. Bran—$26.00.

DAILY MARKETS

LIBERTY BONDS

NEW YORK—Liberty bonds closed:

3½s	96.96	Third 4¼s	97.46
First 4s	97.04	Fourth 4¼s	97.24
2nd 4s, bid	96.64	Victory 3¾s	100.02
First 4¼s	97.10	Victory 4¾s	100.26
Second 4¼s	96.86		

MARKET SESSION ACTIVE

Rail Stocks Strong; Steels Only Exception to General Advance

NEW YORK—Speculative or low-priced rails of the western and southwestern groups again represented the constructive side during Saturday's short but very active stock market, advancing 1 to 2 points. Oils, especially the domestic division, made similar gains under lead of California Petroleum and motors strengthened on the further buying of Studebaker. Market Street Railway, common and preferred issues supplemented recent advances by 2 to 5 points and United Railways, Philadelphia Company and Western Union were among the other strong utilities. Independent steels were the only conspicuous exceptions to the further upward trend, losing 1 to 2 points. United Fruit and National Enameling were moderately lower. The closing was strong. Sales approximated 475,000 shares.

Selling of independent steels, Friday's disturbing feature, was resumed at opening of the stock market. Crucible, Gulf States and Republic preferred, rating large fractions. Rails were firm to strong on renewed demand from Canadian Pacific. Equipments, motors and food specialties were irregular.

Closing prices:

Allied Chemical and Dye	57¾
Allis-Chalmers	45
American Beet Sugar	37
American Can	40⅜
American Car and Foundry	150⅛
American Hide and Leather pfd.	66½
American International Corp.	41
American Locomotive	108⅝
American Smelting and Refining	46¼
American Sugar	67½
American Sumatra Tobacco	25⅝
American T. and T.	119⅝
American Tobacco	138¼
American Woolen	85½
Anaconda Copper	48
Atchison	97⅛
Atlantic Gulf and W. Indies	27
Baldwin Locomotive	108⅜
Baltimore and Ohio	38⅝
Bethlehem Steel "B"	62⅝
Canadian Pacific	129
Central Leather	33½
Chandler Motors	69⅝
Chesapeake and Ohio	60
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	24½
Chicago, R. I. and Pac.	41½
Chino Copper, bid	25½
Colorado Fuel and Iron, bid	26
Corn Products	102½
Crucible Steel	55
Erie	10⅝
Famous Players-Lasky	81¾
General Asphalt	63⅝
General Electric	152
General Motors	8⅝
Goodrich Co.	37⅝
Great Northern pfd	76¼
Illinois Central	99
Inspiration Copper	38¾
International Harvester	90½
Int. Mer. Marine pfd	71
International Paper	49
Invincible Oil	16
Kelly-Springfield Tire	40½
Kennecott Copper	27¼
Louisville and Nashville	112½
Mexican Petroleum	122⅝
Miami Copper	26⅝
Middle States Oil	13¼
Midvale Steel	30
Missouri Pacific	20½
New York Central	78
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford	18
Norfolk and Western	101¾
Northern Pacific	80½
Oklahoma Prod. and Ref.	2⅛
Pacific Oil	48⅞
Pan American Petroleum	55⅜
Pennsylvania	35
People's Gas	75
Pure Oil	35⅞
Ray Consolidated Copper	13⅜
Reading	76
Rep. Iron and Steel	46½
Royal Dutch, N. Y.	50⅝
Sears-Roebuck	63½
Sinclair Con. Oil	22½
Southern Pacific	86⅝
Southern Railway	21⅜
Standard Oil of N. J.	179⅝
Studebaker Corporation	109¾
Tennessee Copper	10¼
Texas Company	46
Texas and Pacific	31¼
Tobacco Products	62
Transcontinental Oil	10
Union Pacific	134
United Retail Stores	47⅞
U. S. Industrial Alcohol	45
United States Rubber	55
United States Steel	94⅝
Utah Copper	66½
Westinghouse Electric	55⅝
Willys Overland	5⅝

WHEAT PRICES RALLY

Quotations go to Above Friday Close Following Early Break

CHICAGO, Ill.—Wheat started ½ to 1c lower on the Chicago Board of Trade Saturday but quickly rallied to above Friday's finish. Initial prices were $1.44 to $1.44¼ for May and $1.23½ to $1.24 for July.

Easier Liverpool advices and prospects of further moisture in the southwest caused the break but there was some immediate covering and when Argentine cables predicted a reduction of from ten to twenty million bushels in the exportable surplus considerable fresh buying developed. Selling on the bulge by local professionals and commission houses were readily absorbed. By the end of the first hour May was above $1.46 and July had bettered $1.25.

Corn opened ⅛ to ⅝c higher for May at 66½ to 66⅝ and ¼c lower to unchanged for July at 68 to 68¼c. The export demand was good and the market developed broadly on a strong undertone with some leading commission houses on the buying side. The movement took May up to 67⅝c and July to 69⅛c, new highs for the crop, before the end of the first hour.

Oats shared export prospects with corn and were correspondingly strong. Initial prices were ⅛c higher with May 41⅝ to 41¾c and July 43c. The advance was steady and May soon reached 42⅜c.

Provisions started generally unchanged to five cents higher. No market developments were observable.

CHICAGO GRAIN RANGE.

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
May	144	147⅛	144	146⅞
July	123½	126	123⅝	125⅝
CORN—				
May	66½	68⅜	66⅝	68⅝
July	68	70⅛	68	70
OATS—				
May	41⅝	43	41⅝	42⅞
July	43	44½	42⅞	44⅜
PORK—				
May	....	....	....	20.60
LARD—				
May	11.77	11.95	11.77	11.85
July	11.97	12.15	11.97	12.02
RIBS—				
May	....	....	....	11.35
July	10.95	11.02	10.95	11.00

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, Ill.—United States Bureau of Markets—Cattle—Receipts 1,000; compared with week ago; beef steers closed largely steady to 15c higher with spots, 25c up, lower grades showing the advance; fat she stock 10 to 25c higher; canners and cutters mostly steady; bulls gained largely 50c; veal calves mostly $1.00 higher; stockers and feeders, 15 to 25c higher.

Hogs—Receipts 7,000; active and mostly 10 to 15c higher than Friday's average; shippers bought about 1,500; hold-over light; top $11.70 for one load 175-pound average; bulk, $10.50 to $11.00; pigs, steady.

Sheep—Receipts 3,000; most packers direct; the few loads on sale brought about steady prices. Compared with week ago: Killing classes 25 to 50c higher; shearing lambs, 50 to 75c higher.

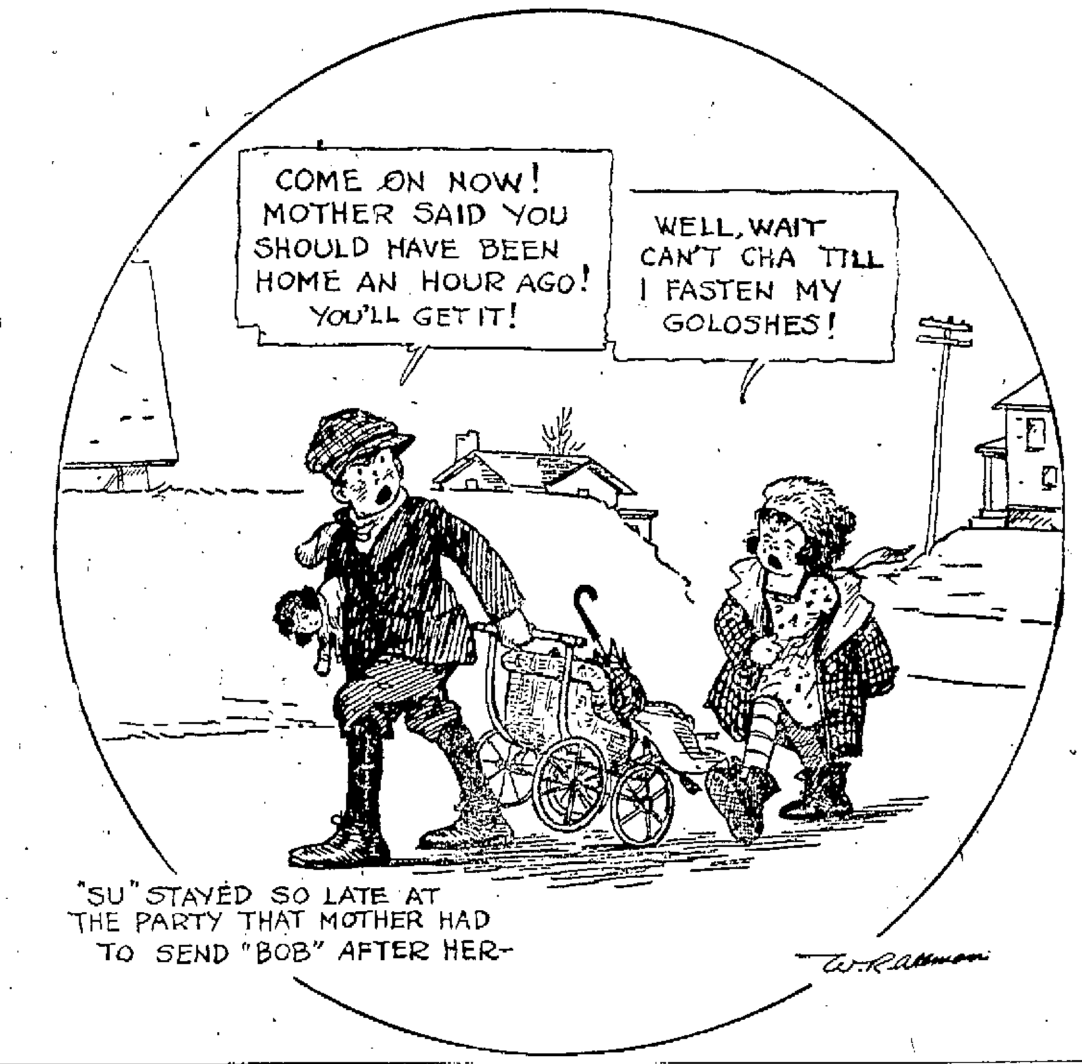
CHICAGO PRODUCE

CHICAGO, Ill. — Butter — Higher; creamery extra, 36½c; firsts, 31 to 35c; seconds, 28 to 30c; standards, 35c.

Eggs—Lower; receipts 17,435 cases; firsts, 25½c; ordinary firsts, 22 to 23c; miscellaneous, 24 to 25c.

Poultry—Alive, unchanged.

THE GREAT AMERICAN HOME



INTERESTING ARE DISPLAYS ARRANGED FOR MILK WEEK HERE

Growth of Ice Cream Manufacturing Business Here is Impressive

Milk week points to Healthland.

Healthland is a great and glorious country which is opened to all children and many adults. In Healthland everybody is happy because everybody is up and doing.

The highway that leads to this wonderful growing country is paved with milk, cheese, butter and ice cream. It is not far away and difficult to travel, so that only the few can travel it, but here at our door. Come, let us during milk week see that every child in La Crosse county gets started on the way to beautiful Healthland by the milky way.

That the children of La Crosse county are interested and anxious to get started on the milky way to Healthland is proven by the great number of posters that every mail brings to the office of the county superintendent of schools.

These posters are the handiwork of the children in the rural schools.

At Public Library

In the childrens' room at the public library, Miss Zerler of the kindergarten department of the public schools today assembled 48 posters made or drawn by the students in our city public schools. These posters are all about our milk week campaign. They are to be judged upon three things, neatness, originality and subject matter.

Miss Angel of the art department of the state normal, Miss MacNair of the art department of the public schools, Mrs. Chamberlain, county superintendent of schools, are the judges.

Prizes offered by the La Crosse County Community Council for the five best posters made by any rural and city school go to the schools and not to the individual.

Winners will be announced tomorrow.

They will be on exhibiton down town all week. These posters are of exceptional merit and show among the children there is an unusual amount of talent along commercial and artistic lines.

Miss Borreson has arranged at the public library a table on which one may find material about milk, its production, distribution and use, including surveys made in other cities.

Ice Cream Valuable Food

Among the interesting things growing out of milk week is the fact that ten years ago ice cream was considered a luxury. Now science shows it to be a most valuable food. Ice cream when made with milk and cream contains the same vitamines that are so essential to the health and growth of the child.

All La Crosse eats ice cream. Ten years ago there were no large ice cream factories in the city of La Crosse. Today we have two as live and thriving as any other factory in our town. The Tri-State Ice Cream factory on lower Main street disposed of sixty thousand gallons of ice cream in La Crosse county during the year 1921.

Fifty thousand gallons were eaten in the city. This factory turned into ice cream 635,000 pounds of milk and 314,000 pounds of cream the past year.

The Gibson Ice Cream company when interviewed, said their figures were 380,427 pounds of milk and 180,786 pounds of cream, but that they disposed of approximately 40,000 gallons of ice cream in La Crosse county during 1921. That makes 100,000 gallons of ice cream made and sold in La Crosse county the past year in these two factories. Add to this the amount of home made and amounts from smaller ice cream concerns one may see how this excellent food has come into its own.

Factories Open

These factories are to be open to groups, clubs or individuals during the coming week. The citizens of La Crosse county are urged to come and see how this wholesome nourishing food is being prepared.

Now Mister Farmer, comes your turn. Take more milk into the house each morning.

First see that your cows are tested in order to safeguard your family.

As you measure the gas which drives your car so should you measure the milk which drives your body.

A 14-quart milk pail 10 inches deep, one inch of milk in that size pail equals a little more than a quart.

Take in each morning at least one inch for each growing child, one-half inch for each grown up.

"One quart of milk a day
Will keep the doctor away."

Which has the most value, five sticks of gum, five cents; all day suckers, five cents; a bottle of pop, 10 cents; or one pint of milk, five cents.

Stop and think. Realize the true value of milk. Then consider that every farmer can drink a glass of this wonderful health food for a few cents.

Hoover on Milk

Read what well known authorities have to say about milk:

Herbert C. Hoover: "The white race can not survive without drinking milk."

Dr. E. V. McMullen:, John Hopkins university, Baltimore, says: "Milk is our greatest protective food and its use must be increased rather than decreased.

"No family has the right to purchase any meat until each member has bought a quart of milk daily.

"Milk is just as important in the maintenance of health in the adult as in the young.

"Rickets are common among children, who do not receive sufficient milk."

Dr. Leland D. Elliott of the La Crosse Red Cross Dental Clinic: "The children that come to the clinic who drink lots of milk have better teeth than those who do not drink milk."

Food for Children

Mrs. Mary P. Morgan, director bureau of child welfare and public health nursing of the Wisconsin state board of health: "Milk is the best food for growing children. It is health insurance. The children who use it are always more healthy and more efficient than those who do not use it.

"After the infant has been weaned from mother's milk, cow's milk should be included in its diet and never discontinued.

"Milk supplies building material for the bones, teeth and muscles and strengthens the nerves and all other parts of the body.

"It contains a growth stimulant which is lacking in many other foods and it has been demonstrated that the food which stimulates growth in children will also help to maintain a good muscular tone in adults. Therefore, dairy foods should be substituted more frequently for other protein foods in the adult diet.

"Milk, considered as a solid food and not as a beverage, is an economical food. From one pint to one quart daily must be taken by every child who wants to attain the highest physical and mental development."

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"Wingold" Flour, 49-pound cotton sacks, per barrel	10.20
"Wingold" Flour, 24½-pound paper sacks, per barrel	10.15
"Wingold" Flour, 12¼-pound paper sacks, per barrel	10.30
"Wingold" Flour, 5-pound paper sacks, per barrel	10.35
Mill Feed	
"Bay State" Bran, in 100-pound pound sacks, per ton	30.00
"Bay State" Std. Midds. in 100-pound sacks, per ton	30.00
Diamond "G" Lowgrade, in 100-pound sacks, per ton	35.00
Prices net.	
Butter and Eggs (Quoted by Miller-Rose Company)	
Creamery butter	36-37c
Fresh eggs	25c
Fruits	
Strawberries, Fla., qt.	.60c
Cider, clarified, half bbl.	6.50
Lemons, "Sunkist," box	7.50
Lemons, choice	7.00
Oranges, Sunkist, size 126, box	6.00
Oranges, Sunkist, size 150, box	6.00
Oranges, Sunkist, size 176, box	6.00
Oranges, Sunkist, size 200, box	6.00
Oranges, Sunkist, size 250, box	5.50
Oranges, Sunkist, size 288, box	5.00
Oranges, Sunkist, size 325, box	4.50
Bananas, per lb.	7c
Celery, per dozen	1.40
Peanuts, roasted, per lb.	11c
Potatoes, lb.	2½c
Oysters, per gallon	2.10
Apples, per barrel	8.00
Apples, per bushel	2.50
Apples, per box	1.75 to 3.50
Cabbage, per hd.	3.50
Onions	3.00
Bagas, per bd.	2.50
Carrots, per hd.	3.50
Head Lettuce, per crate	5.50
Schams Bros.	
Hogs	$6.00 to $9.00
Lambs	$5.00 to $6.00
Sheep	$3.00
Steers	$3.00 to $4.25
Cows	$2.00 to $3.00
CHEESE	
Full cream, brick cheese	20-22c
Full cream, American Twins	21-23c
Full cream, Block Swiss	28-30c
Full cream, Long Horn	22-24c
Full cream, Limburger	26-28c

To Remove Spots From Hardwood

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The origin of the word Asia remains unknown.

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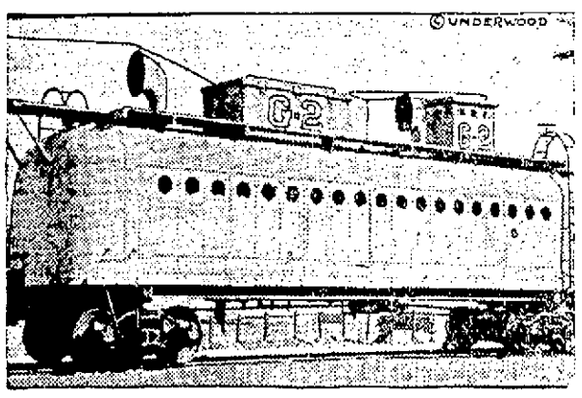
YOUTHFUL HEIRESS TO WED RIDING MASTER—KLAN STILL PROSPERS—PIPE-LINE DICTATION—2 PUPS

HEIRESS TO WED HORSEMAN—The engagement of Mathilde McCormick, sixteen, daughter of Harold McCormick (shown above), president of the International Harvester Co., and granddaughter of John D. Rockefeller, to Max Oser, 48, owner of a livery stable at Zurich, Switzerland, has been formally announced.

THE KLAN'S LATEST INITIATION—Congressional investigation of Ku Klux Klan evidently has not discouraged membership in the organization in Washington. A class of forty new members recently took the oath in the presence of 250 robed klansmen in Maryland, just across the District of Columbia line. Photo shows a new member taking the oath of allegiance before the "cross of fire."

MABEL NORMAND AT QUIZ—Mabel Normand, leaving the district attorney's office at Los Angeles where the investigation into the death of Wm. D. Taylor is being conducted. District Attorney Woolwine, left, and W. C. Doran, his first assistant, are conducting the examination of witnesses.

ENDURANCE REQUIRED FOR THIS—Many of the sports at the winter carnival at Banff, Canada, furnished more thrills than the snowshoe races, but none of them required more endurance. This shows the finish of the one-mile race.



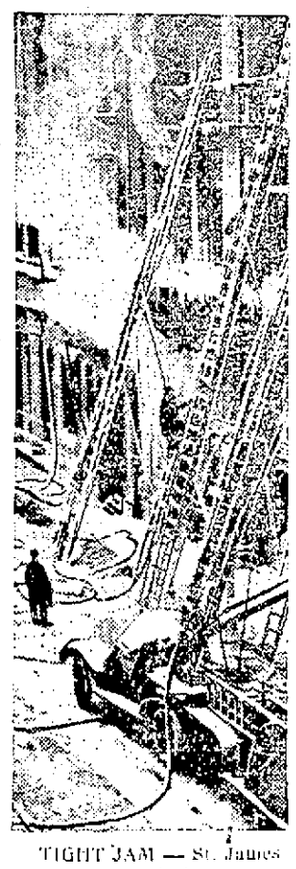
THIS MAY END THE MEXICAN BANDIT—This armored car was recently put in commission at Victoria, Mexico, near the border, to be rushed to the scene of any uprising or raid by Mexican bandits.

KEEPING THE STRIKE FIRES BURNING—With 45,000 textile workers on strike in New England states hundreds of pickets are kept on duty. State police are in readiness to answer any call. Above is Nellie Shaw making stew for the pickets at Bellefonte, R. I.

ART JUDGE—Mrs. Laura Knight will represent England on the jury of the International Art Exhibition to be held at Pittsburgh, Pa., in March. She is the first woman selected for the committee. Her associates will be a Frenchman and two Americans.

UNHAPPILY WED—Baroness Wentworth has filed a petition in the London divorce court. She is a descendant of the great poet, Lord Byron. Her husband is Neville Stephen Lytton, grandson of the novelist, Bulwer Lytton.

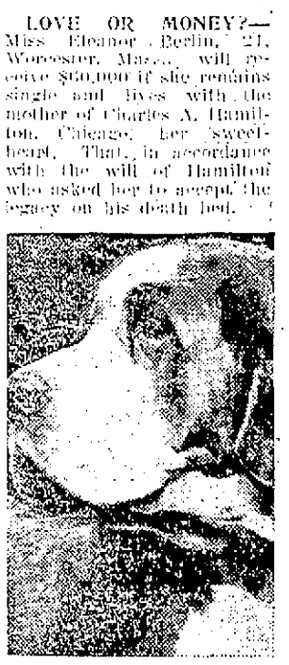
MODERN JOAN—Miss Jean Hodson is the only woman field clerk in the United States army. It took a special act of Congress to make her that. She recently was transferred from Chicago to the Presidio, San Francisco. Unofficially she is a sergeant-major.



TIGHT JAM — St. James street, Montreal, is so narrow that fire trucks had to be run on the sidewalk to fight the fire in the Standard building. Loss amounted to $1,000,000.

WEDS SECOND HERO—Lady Scott, widow of Captain R. F. Scott, who perished on a trip to the South Pole in 1913, is soon to marry Lieut.-Com. Hilton Young, a hero in the attempt to block the German submarines at Zeebrugge in 1918. He is now financial secretary of the British treasury. Lady Scott, a sculptor, is shown in her studio.

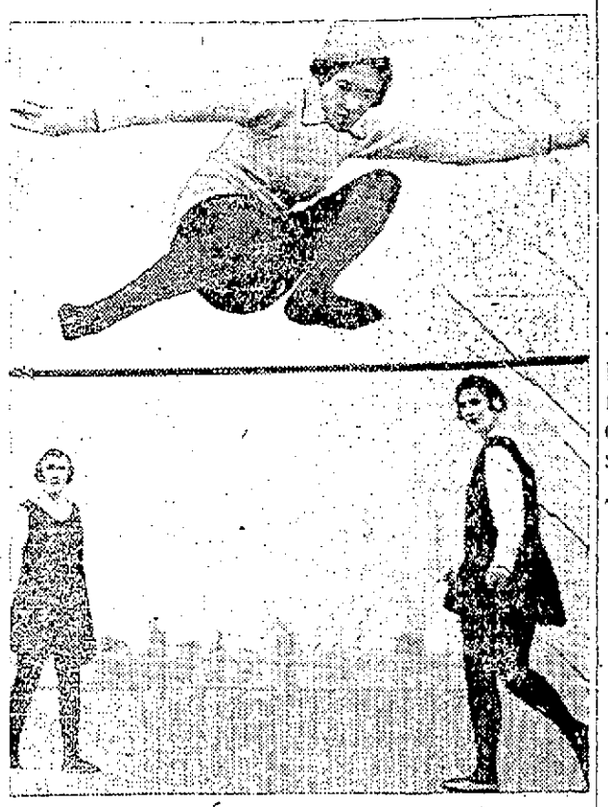
LOVE OR MONEY?—Miss Eleanor Berlin, 21, Worcester, Mass., will receive $60,000 if she remains single and lives with the mother of Charles A. Hamilton, Chicago, her sweetheart. That, in accordance with the will of Hamilton who asked her to accept the legacy on his death bed.



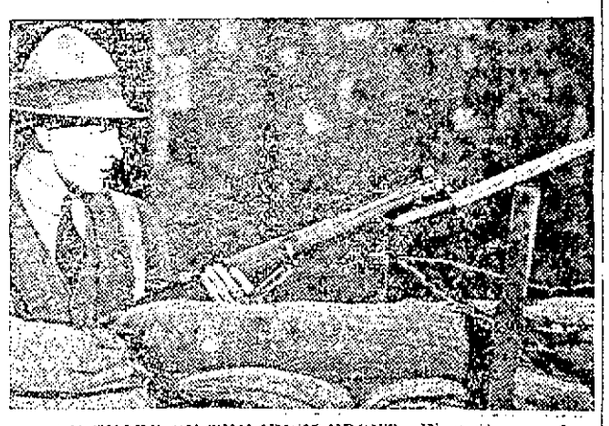
LARGEST—From the tip of her tail to the tip of her nose Hereaveen Queen is six feet. She weighs 205 pounds and that's quite a bit more than the weight of her owner, Mrs. Gertrude Davies Lintz, of Brooklyn. Hereaveen Queen is the biggest dog shown at the recent New York show.

UGLIEST—You can call "Bobby" a pug-ugly if you want to, but he's not. He's a Brussels Griffon and looks somewhat like a brussels sprout. He belongs to C. Vancamp, of Montreal, and is the freakiest dog shown at the recent New York dog show.

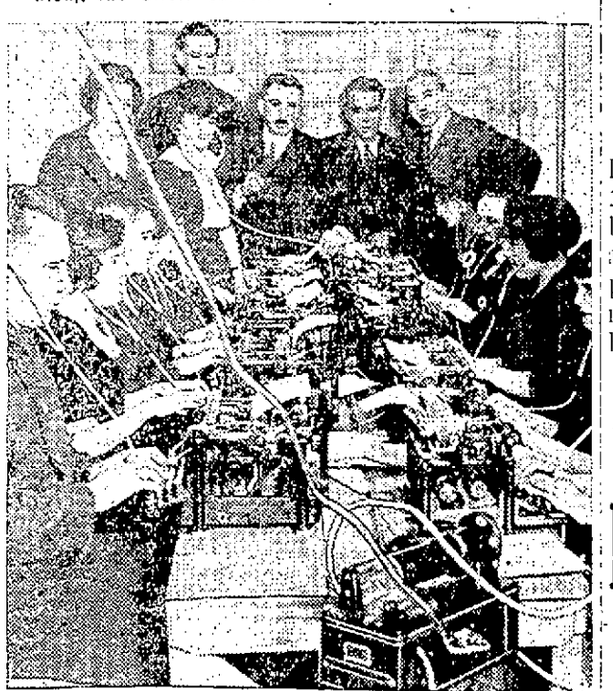
WUNTRY: STOWAWAY FOUND ON FLAGSHIP—Mike had a nice berth in the New York Navy Yard, but he was found on the U. S. S. Columbia, flagship of the Atlantic fleet, in Cuba. He was put to work as mouse guard. For Mike is one of the best rat-catching cats in the navy.



OVER SHE GOES—British girls practicing at Paddington, England, for the Women's Olympic Games to be held at Monte Carlo. This one looks like the likely winner of the high-jump.



ON GUARD ON THE IRISH FRONT—First picture of soldiers of the Irish Republican army entrenched behind the sandbag barricades left by the British tommies. Such barricades are much in use in the new riots along the Ulster border.



PIPE-LINE DICTATION—Stenographic students at the Knights of Columbus evening schools in New York City take dictation from one machine. They tap in on a pipe line. The students are war veterans of both sexes.

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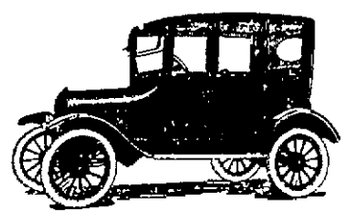

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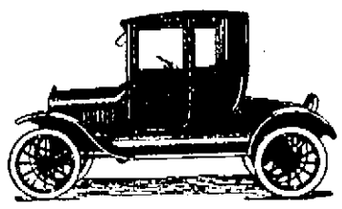

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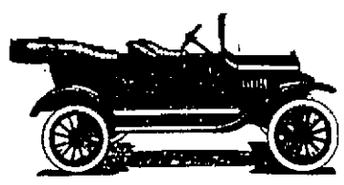

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